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14 KILLED IN GERMAN FOOD RIOTS, SOVIET LOS...

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Pills, Functions and Otherwise. By "S. S."

Last day for water bill discounts.

No City League ball game until Monday.

FAMOUS FIRMS: Take it and say nothing.

Smith Brothers rushing work to completion here.

Tarpon fishers going out to the jetties tomorrow.

Elks and Magnolia Refiners tangle up again here tomorrow.

Carl Garner says YMBLers getting all set for the big feed soon.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In port Arthur, 11; at Beaumont, 5.

Bill Beasley spent an hour or so in the Nawth End Friday.

It's the good club ship "Tarpomia" now instead of the Fort Worth.

Pilots' flivver sighted on Austin avenue early today laden with canvass.

Juvenile human flies crawled around the federal building first story today.

R. R. Mourdread complains that his heir apparent kept him awake last night.

"Kidney" Wilson carried a crew of stars over to trim Sulphur today and tomorrow.

Headquarters of Nagle, Witt & Rollins being removed from the city hall to the Deutser building today.

"Place your orders for city dirt with the city secretary," J. O. Herpin, city engineer, announced this morning.

Plans for a final rally of the Summer Bachelors' club September 1 underway, S. S. hears.

The interurban stops at DeQuesne boulevard now, according to word received by Mayor Pink Logan this a. m.

Billy Burth declares it was an ill wind that slammed the door of his office and broke the glass in the door the other day.

Arch Foster, back from officers' training camp in West Texas, opines he didn't know it could get as hot as it did out there.

Mr. Nichols, age just a few hours and weight 9 pounds, took up residence with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nichols, 815 Atlanta avenue, at 11 o'clock a. m. today.

Johnnie, Get Your Gun. Worlds champion rifle and revolver shot, Adolph Topperwein, says he'll give free exhibition at Pleasure Pier Monday at 3 p. m.

Fish factories at Sabine closed, but Port Arthur fishermen still will go out on the jetties, notwithstanding, according to reports on the rialto.

Joe Stroud today denied he stands on the street corner watching tempus fugit. "I never heard of him, or saw it and can't say I'm crazy about meeting her;" Joe rises to declate.

Pedestrian barely got across Procter in time to catch one of Howard Smith's pullman's last night because the procession of automobiles bound downtown was almost endless, he tells today.

G. A. Clark, window decorator at Deutser's, passing out cigars today. He and Mrs. Clark welcomed little "Miss Clark," weight 10 pounds, into their home at 2819 Thomas boulevard Friday.

COOLIDGE'S TRAIN IS BACK IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The special train carrying President Coolidge and high officials of the government from the burial of President Haring at Marion, Ohio, arrived here at 7:55 o'clock.

ILLINOIS WETS OPEN CAMPAIGN FOR BEER

CHICAGO, Aug. 11. — Illinois "wets" will open their campaign for a return of light wines and beer here tomorrow.

The attempt to culminate in the 1924 elections, will be launched at a democratic club picnic.

WOMAN FREED

The charge of vagrancy filed against Alice Martin Saturday morning was dismissed when called for trial in corporation court. Insufficient evidence was assigned the cause for acquittal.

GENERALLY FAIR

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Sunday, overall fair.

EAST TEXAS AND LOUISIANA: Tonight and Sunday, generally fair.

WINDS ON WEST GULF COAST—Light to moderate easterly.

MAGNOLIA CUTS GAS TO 11 CENTS

Price Slash Is Announced at Dallas

16c IN S. DAKOTA

Governor Sells Highway Depot; Fuel Sold

By United Press

DALLAS, Aug. 11.—A reduction in the price of gasoline to 11 cents a gallon was put into effect here today by the Magnolia Petroleum company, following similar reductions two weeks ago by independent companies.

Other large oil companies were expected to reduce the price of gasoline to 12 and 13 cents today.

16 CENTS BELOW COST, SAYS STANDARD.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Governor W. H. McMaster, South Dakota, today won his fight to reduce gasoline prices in his state to 16 cents a gallon.

On August 7, Governor McMaster declared gasoline prices too high. He ordered the fuel sold by the state highway supply at Mitchell for 16 cents and said he proposed to establish depots throughout the state.

The Standard Oil Company of Indiana today announced a reduction of 5 cents to 16 cents a gallon in South Dakota to meet "competition."

A statement issued by the Standard Oil company announcing the price reduction asserted that 16 cents a gallon is below the cost of production, manufacture and distribution.

SWIFTSTAR LOSS CONCEDED HERE

The Doomed Vessel Once Brought Ship Survivors

That another ship known in this port, the tanker Swiftstar, with all hands aboard, has passed on into the port of missing ships and men, is conceded in Port Arthur today.

The gruesome find of a ship's ice box, stenciled "Swiftstar," and containing the body of a white man, on the lonely shores of the little island of St. Andrews gives rise to expressions from Port Arthur shipping men that the tanker with all of the 30 members of her crew will never be seen again.

Last Here in 1922

When last the Swiftstar steamed slowly up the Port Arthur ship canal on the afternoon of January 21, 1922, she had on board a band of shipwrecked survivors, two women and seven men, mariners here recalled today. The little band of survivors were taken off the wreck of their two masted, 99-ton schooner Donald J. Cook, by the British tanker San Eduardo, landed in Port au Mex, Mexico, and then brought to Port Arthur on the Swiftstar, from Tuxpam, Mexico.

Other advices from the island of St. Andrews on the shores of which was washed up the first indication of the probable fate of the Swiftstar and her crew, state considerable oil is seen on the ocean near the island, and ships' masters reporting the floating oil express the belief the Swiftstar went down with all hands near St. Andrews' desolate shores.

Last Heard of July 13

Last reports on the Swiftstar were made July 13, and since that date nothing has been heard from the tanker until the ghastly death message drifted ashore on St. Andrews last Thursday. According to shipping reports, the Swiftstar was bound from San Pedro, California, to Fall River, Massachusetts. The location of St. Andrew island, near which the tanker and all aboard are believed to have been lost, is about 250 miles north of Colon, Panama Canal Zone.

ARREST IS MADE WHEN HATS CATCH 'EVIDENCE'

Bob Borell was arrested this morning after police say they came upon him in his car near the Gulf company plant and seized more than a pint of corn whisky. He was held in jail pending charges of illegally transporting liquor.

According to Police Chief Covington, a glass jar was broken when the officers approached, but they were able to secure enough of the whisky for evidence by catching it in their hats when it dripped from the tonneau of the machine.

Chief Covington, Assistant Chief Bailey, Detective Harris, Patrolman Burwick and Constable Baker made the arrest.

LABOR UNION BANK FORECAST FOR DALLAS

DALLAS, Aug. 11.—Operation of a labor union bank here within a few months was forecast today by representatives of trade unions and the farm union, following approval of plans for the bank by various organizations behind the movement.

It will be capitalized for $300,000.

Girl College Graduate, Weary of Cinder Path, Seeks Death in Jail

Tired of life, weary of tossing on its uncharted seas, despondent, beaten, crushed, "Buggar Red," a white woman known to Port Arthur solely by her nickname fought to end her struggle against adversity in the city jail at midnight Friday.

A college graduate, "Buggar" tore the belt off her apron, knotted it tightly about her neck and dozed into oblivion.

Midnight, black and drear. An occasional motor car humming by bearing a yawning driver homeward to rest. Midnight, tepid air hanging heavily as a shroud over Port Arthur's jail. Midnight, the police patrol clanging wearily its way to and from patrolmen's stations. Midnight; and "Buggar" chose it as a time to end it all.

The jail was crowded. Some of the prisoners slept when "Buggar" decided then was the best time. A prisoner—a negro woman—next "Buggar's" cell saw her actions dimly outlined by an arclight, as the noose tightened.

She screamed. The other prisoners awoke and finding the cause of the disturbance started milling in their cells, calling to those on duty at headquarters.

Hearing the disturbance Detective McAfee and Night Sergeant Shepard rushed for "Buggar's" cell, unlocked the door and rushed in.

Shepard cut the noose from "Buggar's" neck with a knife as her eye lids fluttered. Flecks of foam was on her lips as the station attaches rolled her on her back and loosened the clothing about her neck.

"Mother—mother"—moaned the woman on the cot.

"What is it, Red?" asked McAfee—but no answer came.

After working with the woman for a while the officers straightened her cot and again locked the door.

This morning when "Buggar Red" came back from the spirit realms she was fined $10 and costs, which she paid.

SHE'S A STEVEDORE

Southern California college and high school girls recently donner overalls and went down to the docks to help load a shipment of clothing for Near East relief centers. Here's Billie Plennard of the University of California doing her bit.

Sorrowing Throngs Leave Marion Alone With Dead

Town Realizes Son She Gave To Nation Was Never in True Sense Given Back to Her for Her Own

MARION, Ohio, Aug. 11.—Marion is alone with her dead. Tattered vestiges of a crushing throng strew the route along which Warren G. Harding yesterday passed on to the tomb.

The multitudes are gone.

Out in Marion cemetery twenty soldiers stand guard over a vine-covered house of stone. They will stay on duty as long as the body of Warren Harding, 29th president of the United States, remains in this temporary resting place.

10,000 Mourners

The path back to normalcy for this little town of 30,000 population, which yesterday handled a crowd, soldiers estimated, in excess of 100,000, is to be long and difficult. The streets and lawns this morning were covered with torn bits of paper.

There was scarcely a house along the funeral route that did not bear some mark of the huge in-pouring of mourners. The East Center street home of Dr. George T. Harding, father of the late president, was patrolled by soldiers throughout the night. The front door of the Harding home had been taken off to allow the tens of thousands to pass through for a last look at the face of their dead neighbor and chief. The door could not be replaced last night and a soldier guard was assigned to keep watch about the porch.

Carpet Worn Bare

The carpet in the front room where the casket stood was worn bare and the wide lawn outside was in a day from bright green to dusty brown.

Truck loads of flowers which banked the Harding yard and house were all taken to the cemetery ahead of the cortege. The tomb where the late president was laid is a bright splash of color against the marble speckled green of surrounding graves.

Marion realizes today that the son she gave to the country that wanted him was never, in a true sense, given back to her for her own.

The huge crowds which followed Warren Harding to his resting place gave the funeral that aspect of national importance which his friends, schoolmates and fellow townsmen had hoped to avoid.

Bad Whisky to Blame Says Negro Killer of 3 Before He Is Hanged

SWAINSBORO, Ga., Aug. 11.—Bad associations and bad whisky were responsible for his downfall, Seab Johnson, negro, declared in an impassioned appeal to others today as he stood on the gallows in the jail yard here.

Johnson was executed for the murder of his wife, sister-in-law and her niece. He spoke for thirty minutes, praying that his case be taken as an object lesson, before the trap was sprung.

$80,000 LOOT IN SHIP'S SAFE

Thieves Make Getaway With Diamond Shipment

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Diamonds valued at approximately $80,000 were stolen from a safe on the steamship Boswell of the Lamport & Holt line, it was discovered today.

The vessel arrived from South America.

The gems, cut and uncut, were in the custody of Capt. Lewis Everett of the liner. They were consigned to a firm of New York bankers—Ladienber, Thalman & Co.

Later on information furnished by Everett, Detectives took into custody two Porto Ricans, formerly members of Boswell's crew, and questioned them.

The safe, an old one, Capt. Everett said, was locked by a key. The key was missing from his pocket when he awakened today, he said. A moment later he found the safe open and the small bag which contained the gems gone.

BIG GASSER BROUGHT IN

MONROE, La., Aug. 11.—A large gasser with a capacity of 41,600,000 cubic feet of gas a day was brought in by the Monroe Drilling company for the Standard Carbon company. The new well, known as Walker No. 2, is in section 32-19-5, east of Ouachita parish. The gasser is one of the largest in the entire gas field.

HUGE AUDIENCE AT MEMORIAL

1,500 Honor Memory of Late President

BUGLES SOUND TAPS

Rev. Dr. Oeschger Eulogizes Harding's Life

Packing streets and sidewalks on the Fifth street side of the federal building Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, more than 1,500 Port Arthurians honored the memory of the late President Warren G. Harding in the community memorial services held in this city.

Silent and with heads bowed, the throng of men, women and children joined with a grieving world as their thoughts turned to the quiet, shaded cemetery in Marion, Ohio, where the last tributes of love and honor for the dead president were being paid as they laid him in the tomb.

After the five-minute pause, the singing of the hymn, "Rock of Ages," and the invocation by Rev. Dr. C. W. Culp, pastor of the First Baptist church, the eulogy of the late President Harding was delivered by Rev. Dr. William Oeschger, pastor of the First Christian church.

Dr. Oeschger Speaks

Reviewing the outstanding individuals in America's history who, Dr. Oeschger said, were raised up by Divine Providence to lead the nation, the speaker declared Warren Gamaliel Harding came at an hour to lead in the great work of reconstruction and back to normalcy following the world war.

"To Warren Gamaliel Harding, we the sons and daughters of America were all home folks and neighbors," Dr. Oeschger said. "He wanted us to be good neighbors to each other, whether we were employers or employes. In his burning zeal for a world court he wanted all the nations of the world to live in a neighborly and peaceful way.

"President Harding possessed a great heart. He was a loving husband, a loyal friend, and a true patriot. Nature endowed him with an abundance of good, common sense, a world of patience, a bountiful measure of tolerance, kindliness of spirit, steadfastness of purpose, an absorbing sense of duty, and with a firm belief that right makes might," Dr. Oeschger said.

"He was at the time of his death the greatest stabilizing force in the world. His supreme ambition was to see a happy and prosperous America. To accomplish that purpose, he died, not sparing himself, but died in the harness working for his beloved America.

Tidal Wave of Grief

"President Harding's ideal for self, and for the people that chose him to be their leader was set forth in the great summary of the Prophet Micah, the closing words of President Harding's inaugural address, 'what doth the Lord require of these but to do justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly with thy God?' How well he succeeded is now history.

"His death has caused a tidal wave of grief to encompass the people he so dearly loved. In all the land there is weeping, in every heart there is sorrow. Today our people, the home folks, the Americans, are weeping everywhere. They weep, they lament, they mourn because of the death of one of Heaven's greatest gifts to earth, Warren Gamaliel Harding."

At the close of the eulogy, another hymn was sung, after which Rev. V. A. Godbey, pastor of the First M. E. church, South, led in prayer, closing with the Lord's prayer, in which the entire assembly joined. Then at a signal from Major C. H. Fitzgerald, chairman of the arrangements committee for the memorial services, Bugler Jones sounded taps, and as the last notes from his bugle faded, answering taps were sounded by Buglers Miller and Paschal, stationed on downtown office buildings several blocks away.

SHORT COURSE ATTENDED

DE RIDDER, La., Aug. 11.—Parish Demonstration Agent Cooper left for Baton Rouge, where about forty girls and boys went to attend the short course given by the state. Expenses of the trip are being provided for by the police jury, school board and private citizens throughout the parish.

Night Hunt in Marsh Nets 3 Corn Machines

Working all night through the marshes, police operatives working in conjunction with Constable H. F. Baker uncovered the biggest corn whisky manufacturing ring in recent months, they declare, when three stills with a weekly capacity of about 1300 gallons of "corn" were seized and taken to police headquarters.

Chief of Police W. W. Covington, Assistant Chief W. E. Bailey, Detective Harris, Patrolman Burwick and Constable Baker comprised the raiding party which uncovered the miniature distillery. About two quarts of first run corn were seized in a five-gallon bottle.

Camp Out All Night

The raiding party left headquarters shortly after supper Friday night, prepared to camp out all night. After a search lasting until after midnight through the rank growth of the marshes, the raiding party, fighting mosquitoes, established a liasson with headquarters and dispatched a man to town for something to eat. The remainder of the party continued the search through the dank, dismal swamp land.

With the approach of daylight this morning a launch was secured to explore the bayous of the swamp. It was then that the trio of stills were discovered.

The confiscated apparatus was of the latest design with especially constructed apparatus for the distilling process.

"We have been aware of a high grade of moonshine product which has been coming into Port Arthur," said Chief Covington this morning. "It is evident that the finished product was triple distilled. In mopping up this layout of stills I believe we have materially reduced the amount of available corn coming into the city."

Owners Fail to Show Up

After the stills were discovered, members of the raiding party secluded themselves in points of vantage about the scene of operations and waited until after 10 o'clock for the owners of the distillery to show up, but none put in appearance.

The stills were loaded into an automobile and taken to police headquarters, where the owner may have them by calling and proving his ownership.

VETS OFFER GRANITE FOR A HARDING MAUSOLEUM

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 11.—Sufficient Georgia granite to construct a mausoleum for President Harding was offered the City of Marion today by Hollins N. Randolph, president of the Stone Mountain Confederate Memorial association.

President Harding was one of the staunchest friends of the project of carving the great monument to the Confederate soldiers on Stone mountain.

Evidence Insufficient, Ellis Releases Joe Bos

Joe Bos yesterday was dismissed from custody by Judge Ellis when arraigned yesterday afternoon on charges of possession with intent to sell intoxicating liquor. Judge Ellis ruled the evidence insufficient to hold Bos.

On the strength of an alleged confession made to detectives, police arrested Bos. A charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor comes up for trial in corporation court August 17.

Troops Ordered Out in Illinois Strike Clash

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 11.—Ten companies of Illinois National guard troops were today ordered to Hillsboro to prevent further strike disorders at the American Zinc company plant there.

Two deputy sheriffs and a striker were wounded in a clash at the plant Tuesday. Three hundred of six hundred employes are striking to force union recognition.

Jinx Overtakes Family Of Tourists, Illinois Bound to Ft. Worth

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 11.—R. K. Smith, wife and two children, touring from Springfield, Ill., to Fort Worth, Texas, met misfortune here today. While the family was camping at Penn Tourists park, Mrs. Smith was striken with what physicians believe is typhoid fever. The family was practically destitute. Smith took his wife to a hospital and Betty Ray, five months old baby, disappeared. After a search for a full day the child was located in a hospital baby camp. Smith finally obtained employment and a kind hearted woman took care of the other child, pending Mrs. Smith's illness. The family was en route to Fort Worth to join Mrs. Smith's mother.

COOLIDGE AND CABINET MEET

Unofficial Session Held in President's Office

TEMPORARY WHITE HOUSE, WILLARD HOTEL, WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—President Calvin Coolidge held an informal and unofficial "cabinet meeting" in his suite here today.

Secretary heads of the various government branches came and discussed the pressing problems of their departments.

Their call was the first of the day and occupied the entire morning.

Nursery Acknowledges Receipt of Donations

Donations to the Day Nursery by individuals and organizations in Port Arthur recently are announced today by the board of directors of the institution as follows:

Supplies of milk by Mrs. R. H Woodworth, H. C. Daley, the Piping Hot tea room, Miss E. Harrison and the Federal bakery; ice cream every Sunday from the Milk Products company; clothes, by Mrs. Harrison Fischer; entertainment, given by Miss E. Harrison, and gifts of money from Mrs. C. T. Allis, the El Mina Shrine Patrol and W. P. Park.

Routine business matters pertaining to the administration of the Day Nursery were transacted by the board of directors at a meeting Friday morning, with Mrs. K. A. Young, president, presiding, and attended by the following members:

Mrs. T. W. Hughes, Mrs H. F Banker, Mrs. C. T. Allis, Mrs. G. H Eubank, Mrs. P. T. Donahoe, Mrs Dunstan and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds.

7 AUTOISTS PAY FINES FOR DRIVING ON ASPHALT

Despite rules governing autoists driving over freshly laid pavements, a steady stream of offenders continue to report for trial almost daily in corporation court.

Adequate signs have been provided warning that the streets under improvement have been shut off, police say. Seven offenders were ordered to appear Saturday morning for driving over freshly laid asphalt on Houston avenue between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. All paid fines.

CAPTURED BANK YEGGS ARE HELD IN SECLUSION

VINITA, Okla., Aug. 11.—The three prisoners arrested in connection with the robbery of the Ketchum State Bank Thursday when Frank Pitts, cashier, was slain, were held in seclusion today for safe keeping. "Everything is quiet here today but we are taking no chances," Sheriff Harry Campbell of Vinita declared.

RADICAL ... IGNORES ... PROCLAMATION

Threat of Monarchist Coup Forced in Background

AMERICANS PANICKY

Agitators Demand Arming of Workers

By United Press

BERLIN, Aug. 11.—Eleven persons were killed today in wild disorders and food riots in the vicinity of Aachen, according to advices from that city.

Fighting started when hungry workers marched into the country, plundering potato and grain fields. There was considerable firing with muskets and hunting rifles.

EBERT REFUSES CUNO RESIGNATION

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Chancellor Cuno tendered his resignation to President Ebert who refused to accept it, according to a Central News dispatch from Berlin today.

Blood Baptism Greets Republic's 4th Anniversary

By United Press

BERLIN, Aug. 11.—An infantry company, with machine guns, was dispatched to guard the residence of Chancellor Cuno today—fourth anniversary of establishment of the German republic—when bloody clashes between workers and police were reported from Hamburg, Bremen, Leipzig, Kiel and Luebeck.

One worker was killed and many injured in fighting with the police at Hamburg, while two were killed at Ratibor.

The tramp of the troops down the almost deserted Wilhelmstrasse in the early morning called up memories of previous uprisings and bespoke the government's manifest uneasiness.

But this time it is from the proletariat revolt is feared.

Threat of Soviet

Threat of a soviet republic in Germany was heard from the lips of a communist deputy in the Reichstag yesterday at President Ebert immediately issued a proclamation warning radicals under paragraph 48 of the constitution to refrain from circulating handbills or posters, holding meetings or making speeches calculated to endanger the public order. It is tantamount to a mild state of siege for the entire country.

Morning found the order disobeyed by demonstrators taking advantage of "constitution day" — anniversary of adoption of the Weimar constitution which made Germany a republic in fact as well as in name—to express their disapproval of the present government and the food and money shortage.

The threat of a monarchist uprising, which has given no little concern of late, was almost forgotten today and the Cuno government took steps to prevent trouble from the other direction—the left.

There was a midnight conference called by Ebert at the president's palace in the Wilhelmstrasse, to which Chancellor Cuno and other They met behind closed iron gates, where soldiers paced, rifles on shoulder, and ugly, squat machine guns pointed their noses toward the wide sweep of street from which trouble—if the communists started it—would have to come.

Agitators Wave Red Flag

Agitators held meetings despite the presidential ban, demanding the arming of the workers as a foundation for a peasants and laborers' government.

It is admitted the country faces a bitter and dangerous crisis, politically and economically. Workers, receiving what amounts to a mere pittance, are clamoring for Cuno's resignation.

Socialists are meeting to decide whether to support the communists who are determined to force through the reichstag on Monday a vote of lack of confidence in the government. The socialist decision will seal the fate of the Cuno ministry, which now hangs by a thread. The socialists who hold the balance of power may decide to leave the government dangling in this precarious position or to plunge it into the discard, condemned by workers as inactive and inefficient.

Decision on this will be postponed until next week.

Meanwhile new rioting is reported in Dresden and Ratibor, where police and workers have suffered mutual casualties in street clashes.

Radical newspapers in Berlin are to be suppressed if they incite violence, it was announced today, and any foreigner who writes inflammatory articles will be expelled from Germany.

Among the labor troubles most affecting Americans here is the freight strike, which is growing worse. Many American tourists are becoming panicky, seeking advice about hurriedly leaving the country, cutting their visits for free train service may be cut off.

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[illegible] Children [illegible]

[illegible] Aug. 11.—A mother [illegible] her children or [illegible] blind, but I 'see' without [illegible] people do not know how to [illegible] their eyes—so many do not see [illegible]

[illegible] Amy Slavin Matheson is not [illegible]. She is happy. She says [illegible] and she shows you her family to prove it—a husband, a daughter and [illegible] sons. These are the things she does:

Keeps house without a maid.

Goes to market, selecting the food she buys.

Cooks the family meals and bakes cakes.

Makes her daughter's dress on a sewing machine.

Blind at 18

Mrs. Matheson was stricken blind when she was 18. Daughter of a veteran showman, she had played "Little Eva" when she was six. In a West 44th street boarding house she met John Matheson, an electrician, and married him.

"Although I never saw him," she says, "I knew he was the right man because I knew his habits—and the hours he kept!"

She had dreamed of a stage career. When blindness came, sequel to an illness, she determined to make good at something else—home-making.

"Billy, my eldest son, is 20 now." she said. "When he was a baby I was afraid that I couldn't bring him up right. But instinct served instead of eyes. I could literally see him!"

Footsteps identify her children so that Mother Matheson does not have to see them. Even though partly dead, she knows them instantly. Billy, she says, comes in with a long, quick step. She knows Ray, her second son, by his slow and quiet walk. Howard, 17, fairly trots along, she says, while Amy comes with a soft, gliding movement like dance steps.

A maid? Not to help Mother Matheson keep house. She had one—once.

"It was when Billy was a baby," she laughed. "The deceitful girl would tell me she had changed baby's dress and think I wouldn't know the difference! Indeed, I did—by the touch of it. Then in washing the windows, she'd only wash one side. Just as if I didn't know.

"Mental sight, I sometimes think, is more accurate than physical sight.

"Friends often try to describe something to me, and they stumble and halt and fail—because they have looked at something, but they have not seen it."

Marketing has no terrors for this remarkable blind woman. She picks a good cantaloupe by its weight and odor, an ear of corn by pinching the grain to find the juiciest. Good lettuce, she says, should be dry and crisp and not have a slimy feel.

Find Rich Relics of Ancient Cliff Dwellers

DURANGO, Calif., Aug. 11.—The only life size idol of the ancient cliff dwellers of America ever known to have been discovered was recently found by Lauren Crandall on his ranch near the Aztec ruins.

Along with the perfectly preserved image were priceless bits of pottery, household implements and farming tools, lying just as they had been left when the cliff dwellers disappeared from the earth thousands of years ago.

Crandall is said to have refused large sums of money for the baked clay idol and pottery. Bowls unearthed retain the original coloring, relicately traced in numerous fantastic shapes. One piece has a perfectly formed swastika (emblem of good luck) painted in red and black, covering the bottom of the inside of the vessel.

A number of skulls and bones of human beings show that Crandall had penetrated an ancient cliff dwellers' graveyard. The custom of idol-worshiping races burying their choicest works with the craftsmen may account for his unusually valuable discoveries.

NEED HARVEST HANDS IN CANADA'S WHEAT BELT

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 11.—Prospects of a serious shortage of harvest hands in Western Canada in view of the bumper wheat crop, which promises to be the greatest in the history of the industry, have caused government officials in the three prairie provinces to send out a call for 52,000 extra workers.

Of the army of harvest hands required, it was stated at a meeting of officials here, Saskatchewan will need 30,000, Manitoba 12,000, Alberta 10,000. The workers will be recruited from the eastern provinces, British Columbia and the United States. Manitoba's wheat harvest, according to the present outlook, began August 7, Alberta's about August 10, and Saskatchewan's August 15.

Crop experts confine their predictions of the biggest harvest in 19 years. Some estimates place the yield of wheat at 500,000,000 bushels.

Conditions in the fruit belt of British Columbia are extremely good, according to the provincial horticulturist. Yields of all fruits, present estimates indicate, will exceed by a considerable margin the output of last year.

[illegible] PLAYS "DIRTY"

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Helen [illegible], actress, who went to Paris [illegible] new plays for the Theatre [illegible], returned today without any. [illegible] said the plays she had seen in [illegible] were "so dirty" she would be [illegible] to reproduce them in America. [illegible]

Marine and Shipping Notes

ARRIVED AUGUST 11

Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location

Suholeo, 2174, from Port Newark to Transmarine corporation.

Winifred, 1320, from Tampico to Gulf company.

Socony, 2223, from New York to Magnolia company.

Gulfoil, 3202, from Galveston to Gulf company.

SAILED AUG. 11

William Boyce Thompson, 4370, from Beaumont for Sabine, Magnolia company.

Freeport Sulphur No. 6, 2649, from Humphreys company, Port Neches.

Albert E. Watts, 5111, from Port Arthur for Philadelphia, Texas Co.

J. M. Guffey, 1593, from Gulf company for Tampico.

Western Glen, 3582, from Port Arthur for Africa, via New York, Collin and Butler.

Gulfstate, 445, from Gulf company for Tampico.

Gulfpoint, 4293, from Gulf company for Tampico.

Gulfstream, 3202, from Gulf company for Providence.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Coastwise Docks

Surico, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

Suholeo, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

Texas Company Docks

Sch. Robert P. Murphy, 372, Texas Company.

Quebec City (Br.), 3134, John E. Jones company, Fay Morgan agent.

Jersey City (Br.), 3937, John E. Jones company, Fay Morgan, agent.

British Viscount (Br.), Chas. Martin company.

Lightburne 5154, Texas Company.

Gulf Company Docks

Winifred, 1520, Gulf company.

Gulfoil, 3202, Gulf company.

Mexican Docks

Sch. W. J. Patterson, 569, Lutcher-Moore Lumber Co. (Laid up.)

Ship Basin

Bark Marion Chilcott, 1510, Chas. Martin company, (laid up).

AT BEAUMONT

Socony, 2223, Magnolia company.

Nubian (Br.), 4067, John E. Jones company.

Tosto (Nor.), 814, Hall Shipping company.

Achatina (Br.), 3521, Collin and Butler.

Sch. Ellice B. (Br.), 362, Texas Shipping company.

AT ORANGE

Sch. Robin Hood, 1729, Barber Asphalt company.

Sch. Thelma, 449, W. H. Tippin company.

VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE

Solitaire, due August 14 to Texas Company.

Lake Slavi, due August 16 to Texas Company.

Illinois, due August 19 to Texas Company.

Shelley, due September 1 to 15 to Texas Company.

Lorraine Cross, due September 15 to 16 to Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

Clearwater, due September 15 to 30 to Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

Jeseric, due September 15 to 30 to Texas Company.

Giove, due September 15 to 30, the E. Papich.

Cornish City, due September 10 to John E. Jones company, Ray Morgan, agent.

Sch. Rosalie Belliveau, due last half of September to Texas company.

Lightbarne, due August 10 to Texas company.

Charles M. Everest, due August 17 to Gulf company.

Bohemian Club, due August 14 to Texas Company.

Ethan Allen, due September 20 to Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Tagnal, agent.

San Leopoldo, due August 14, to Collin and Butler.

Heffron, due August 19 to 29 Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

Harvester, due August 16 to 20 to Texas Company.

Trebartha, due August 19-20, Texas Company.

Radnor, due August 20-23, Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

George Pierce, due August 25, Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

Sch. Stimson, due August 5 to 8 to Texas Company.

Julius Schindler, due August 12 to 15 to Texas Company.

Astoi Mendi, due August 18 to Collin and Butler.

MARINE MISCELLANY

Builders, Employes Disagree

Strained relations between shipbuilding and metal trades workers in New Orleans as a result of employes asking increased pay and employers planning to reduce wages and salaries, are reported in advices reaching here today. Reductions in wages are necessary because of the slump in the shipbuilding and repairing business and the keen competition there, the employers say. On the other hand the workmen declare increased costs of living make higher wages imperative.

Nomis to Take Lumber

The schooner Nomis, now voyaging to Tampico, is slated for a trip under charter to the Texas Shipping and Forwarding company when she returns from Tampico about August 20. A cargo of half a million feet of lumber has been booked by the shipping company for the Nomis, but the destination of the cargo has not been announced.

Achatina to Fill Bunkers

The British steamship Achatina, which arrived at the Magnolia company's Beaumont terminals Friday afternoon to lift refined oils, will call at Port Arthur for bunkers before putting to sea.

Three Tankers to Tampico

Three tank steamships sailing today for Tampico to lift cargoes of Mexican crude are reported in Port Arthur shipping circles. The vessels are the Gulfstate, Gulfpoint and J. M. Guffey.

Freeport Sulphur No. 6 Sails

Lifting a cargo of oil at the Humphreys company's Port Neches terminals, the steamship Freeport Sulphur No. 6 sailed today, having spent less than 24 hours taking the cargo.

Suholeo Arrives

Arrival of the Transmarine corporation's steamship Suholeo in Port Arthur today with cargo brought down from the corporation's Newark terminals, is listed in the port's vessel movements. The Surico of the same line also is at the coastwise docks.

Leyland Manager in District

Capt. W. J. Byson of New Orleans, district manager of the Leyland lines, spent Friday in Beaumont in connection with the handling of the Leyland line's steamship Nubian, loading at that port.

CONFEDERATE'S SONS ORGANIZE

Ben F. Gafford Heads Post At Sherman

SHERMAN, Texas, Aug. 11.—The organization of a local camp of Sons of Confederate Veterans was perfected in Sherman at a meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce. Eighteen sons and grandsons of men who wore the gray during the Civil war became charter members of the camp.

Adoption of a constitution, selection of a name, and selection of officers to serve the camp during the first year were matters which were disposed of at the organization meeting. It was unanimously decided to name the camp in honor of the late Colonel George R. Reeves, who organized the Eleventh Texas cavalry in Grayson county at the outbreak of the Civil war, and in which many men of Grayson county who fought in the war made great records. Colonel Reeves was the father of former County Clerk W. S. Reeves, who now resides at Pottsboro.

Ben F. Gafford was chosen as commandant to serve the first term. Other officers chosen were J. F. Holt, tenant-commandant; Dr. J. M. Staples, second lieutenant-commandant; C. L. Cloer, adjutant; Dr. G. F. Brown, surgeon; W. M. Shaw, quartermaster; Judge G. P. Webb, chaplain; C. M. Cole, treasurer; Barlow Roberts, color sergeant; H. P. Abney, historian; Cecil H. Smith, judge advocate.

Besides those given as officers, Lee Simmons, J. J. Eubank, R. K. Bass, R. L. Hall, J. D. Buster, G. S. Murphy and Dr. T. W. Crowder were received as members.

ASSESSMENT COMPLETED

OAKDALE, La., Aug. 11.—Conrad C. Cole, tax assessor for Allen parish, has given notice to all taxpayers interested in the tax assessments of Allen parish that the assessment list for the year 1923 has been completed for this parish. These assessment sheets, as required by law, are open for inspection by the public for twenty days, ending August 17.

Let our factory trained man adjust your Sewing Machine. Phoenix Furniture Co.—adv.

MARKETS

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The brief report of today's stock market could have been written from the floor of the exchange where 95 per cent of the business originated. After an irregular opening folowed by some selling largely by the bears, a covering movement took place during the second and last hour, demonstrating how bare the market is of stocks. Close was higher.

The market is easily sold, but not so readily bought. For instance Baldwin advanced 1 point to 112½, on buying of a few hundred shares. Studebaker advanced to 101⅞ from 100½ on less than 2000 shares. Famous Players started the Bears by 100 shares selling at 70, up 1 from the previous close and 1½ above the low of the day. A director said the regular dividend would be declared next week.

The market closed higher.

Closing prices:
U. S. Steel 88⅞, up ⅛.
Baldwin 113½, up ⅞.
American Locomotive 73¼, up ⅞.
Texas Company 42¼, up ⅛.
Pan-American 60⅛, up ⅛.
Producers and Refiners 30⅞, off ⅛.
Studebaker 102⅞, up 1½.
U. S. Rubber 37⅞, off 1½.
American Can 88⅛, up 2.
Famous Players 72, up 3.
Allied Chemical 61⅞, up 2.
Central Leather 15⅛, up 1.
American Smelting 56⅞, up 2.
Anaconda 39⅞, up ⅛.
Atchison 96¼, up ⅛.
Baltimore and Ohio 48⅛.
New York Central 98, up ⅛.
Erie, first preferred, 21⅛, off ⅛.

The stock market opened irregular and quiet today with a small attendance both on the board and in the street.

National Biscuit was strong at 42⅛, up ⅛ from Thursday's close. Steel at 87⅞ was off ⅛. American Locomotive 72⅞, was up ⅛ and Westinghouse at 58 was up ⅛. There was pressure in United States Rubber which opened at 38⅛, off ⅛ and later sold at 37⅛.

Opening prices:
U. S. Steel 87⅞, off ⅛.
Erie 12, up ⅛.
Kennecott Copper 33⅞, up 2.
American Locomotive 72⅛, up ⅛.
St. Paul 15⅛, up ⅛.
Anconda 39⅞, up ⅛.
Westinghouse 58, up ⅛.
American Can 88⅞, up ⅛.
American Telephone 122⅛, off ⅛.
General Motors 14⅛, off ⅛.
Texas Company 41⅞, up ⅛.
Pan-American "B" 75⅞.
Sinclair 21⅞, off ⅛.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Foreign exchange opened irregular.

Sterling $4.56⅞; francs .0566¼; lire .0426; Belgian .0445¼; marks 3,816,153, off 192,305.

The foreign exchange market closed higher.

Sterling demand $4.56⅞, up ⅞; francs .0567, up .001⅛; lire .0427, up .0001; marks 3,125,000 to the dollar, off 1,192,900.

NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS

U. S. Liberty, 3½'s	100.10
U. S. Liberty, 1st 4¼'s	98.80
U. S. Liberty, 2nd 4¼'s	98.50
U. S. Liberty, 3rd 4¼'s	98.30
U. S. Liberty, 4th 4¼'s	98.70
Victory, 3¾'s	99.19

CHICAGO PRODUCE

BUTTER: Creamery, extras 42; creamery, standards 41½; firsts 39; seconds 36@36½.

EGGS: Ordinaries 22@22½; firsts 21@25.

CHEESE: Twins 21½@22; young Americas 23½@24.

POULTRY: Fowls 16@24; ducks 22; geese 16@22; broilers 26; springs 30, turkeys 20, roosters 14.

POTATOES—285 cars.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 11.—The market closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Oct.	22.60	23.43	22.59	23.34
Dec.	22.65	23.46	22.65	23.42
Jan.	22.68	23.62	22.68	23.42
Mar.	22.78	23.57	22.78	23.43

Spots 24.00, up 50.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The market closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Oct.	23.20	24.00	23.20	23.40
Dec.	23.23	24.00	23.23	23.96
Jan	23.00	23.82	23.00	23.82
Mar.	23.20	23.82	23.10	23.80

Spots 25.25.

PARENTS' DAY OBSERVED

COLUMBUS, Miss., Aug. 11.—A program of more than passing importance, was given at the First Methodist church for Parents' Day. The services began at 9:45 and the large auditorium was filled to capacity. Under the guidance of the Rev. E. S. Lewis, pastor, and J. S. Billups, superintendent of the Sunday school, the church has made good progress in spiritual work.

FLIVVERS ARE HIGH

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 11.—Owing to the difference in price of Ford cars in England and the United States, prices now placed on good used cars in most of the big cities are higher here than they are for new models in America. A good 1921 touring car selling for about 96 pounds, or nearly $450.

New Home Sewing Machines for sale. Phoenix Furniture Co.—adv.

"Feeling Fine!"

"I was pale and thin, hardly able to go," says Mrs. Bessie Bearden, of Central, S. C. "I would suffer, when I stood on my feet, with bearing-down pains in my sides and the lower part of my body. I did not rest well and didn't want anything to eat. I felt miserable. A friend of mine told me of

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Mrs. Harding, Lonely Years Ahead, Says She'll Carry On

Plans Life Work After Half a Year's Rest in Seclusion To Conquer Her Sorrow And Distress

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Facing lonely years with courage and calmness, Mrs. Warren G. Harding today prepared to gather up the broken threads of her life and to weave them into a new design.

She re-entered the empty White House today to collect personal belongings, every one of them certain to remind her of the husband she left in that quiet Marion cemetery yesterday.

But just as there was neither hysteria nor self-pity in her demeanor during the ordeals of Mr. Harding's illness, death and burial, so there will be no heroics about her final days in the White House.

To Master Crisis

Mrs. Harding, always a most practical, capable woman, for all her feminine charm, approaches her new life just as she has in the past faced difficult tasks or trying situations—with a determination to make herself mistress of the situation, rather than let it master her.

The best way to meet life—the life without the one to whose comfort and well being she administered constantly—is to be active, she believes, and now that she has laid he dead to rest she intends to devote herself to the living.

Her first task is to remove her belongings from the White House so that President and Mrs. Coolidge may move in. As rapidly as possible she will have her household effects and other belongings crated up and removed.

George B. Christian, Jr., her late husband's secretary, and Harry Barker, the secret service man asisgned to her when she entered the White House, will stay with her and help until the work of removal is finished. She has not definitely decided whether to send her effects to Marion or to put them in storage in Washington. Mrs. Harding does not know just how long it will take her to pack, but she desires to finish just as soon as possible so as not to keep the Coolidges waiting. Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge have told her to take all the time she desires, as they are comfortable in the temporary White House in the New Willard.

Will Keep Laddie Boy

Laddie Boy, Mr. Harding's Airedale dog, Mrs. Harding has given into the keeping of Barker. He will look after Laddie Boy until Mrs. Harding is settled in a permanent home. She will never give Laddie Boy away outright, Mrs. Harding said, but just now she is unable to take care of him.

When she is through at the White House Mrs. Harding may stay for a time with friends near Washington or she may go to the home of her brother, C. T. Kling, in Marion.

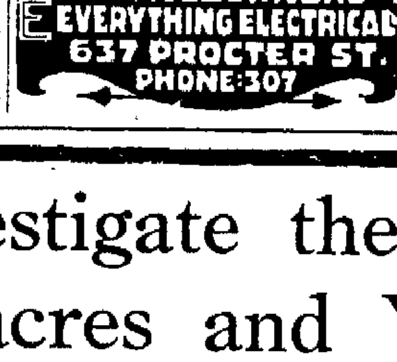
For the next six months or perhaps longer she will spend much time in rest and will be very largely in seclusion from the large circle that knew her.

If her present plans hold and her health continues good she will gradually resume her place and then will develop the nature of her new activities. For the present nothing will be said about these. But Mrs. Harding is likely to leave an impression on her time that will not soon be forgotten, if she is permitted to do what she now regards as her life work.

Mrs. Haring did not return to Washington on the private car Superb on which she and the late President travelled to the coast and which brought his body home.

"Take that car away; I never want to see it again," she said when the casket was removed at Marion. The car was sent at once to railroad shops for overhauling. Mrs. Harding rode home to Washington in the private car of E. B. McLean of Washington, which was hooked to the special train.

Germany's 300,000 metal workers threaten a walkout unless they are granted an increase of 25 cents an hour in wages. They are now receiving 25 cents an hour.



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New York street cars are getting as safe as home-made airplanes.

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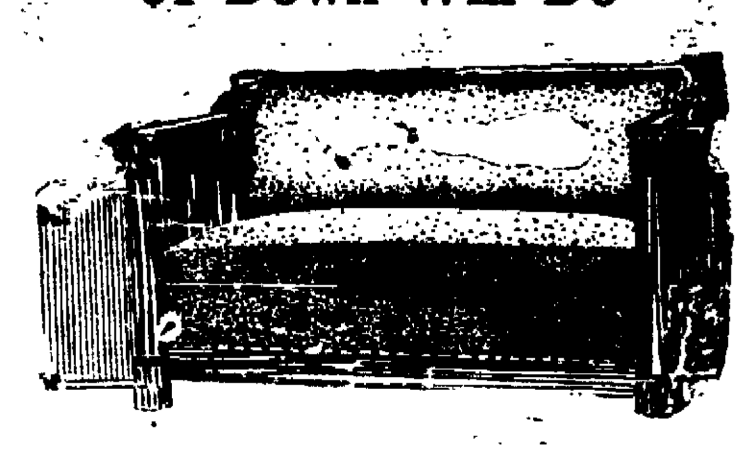

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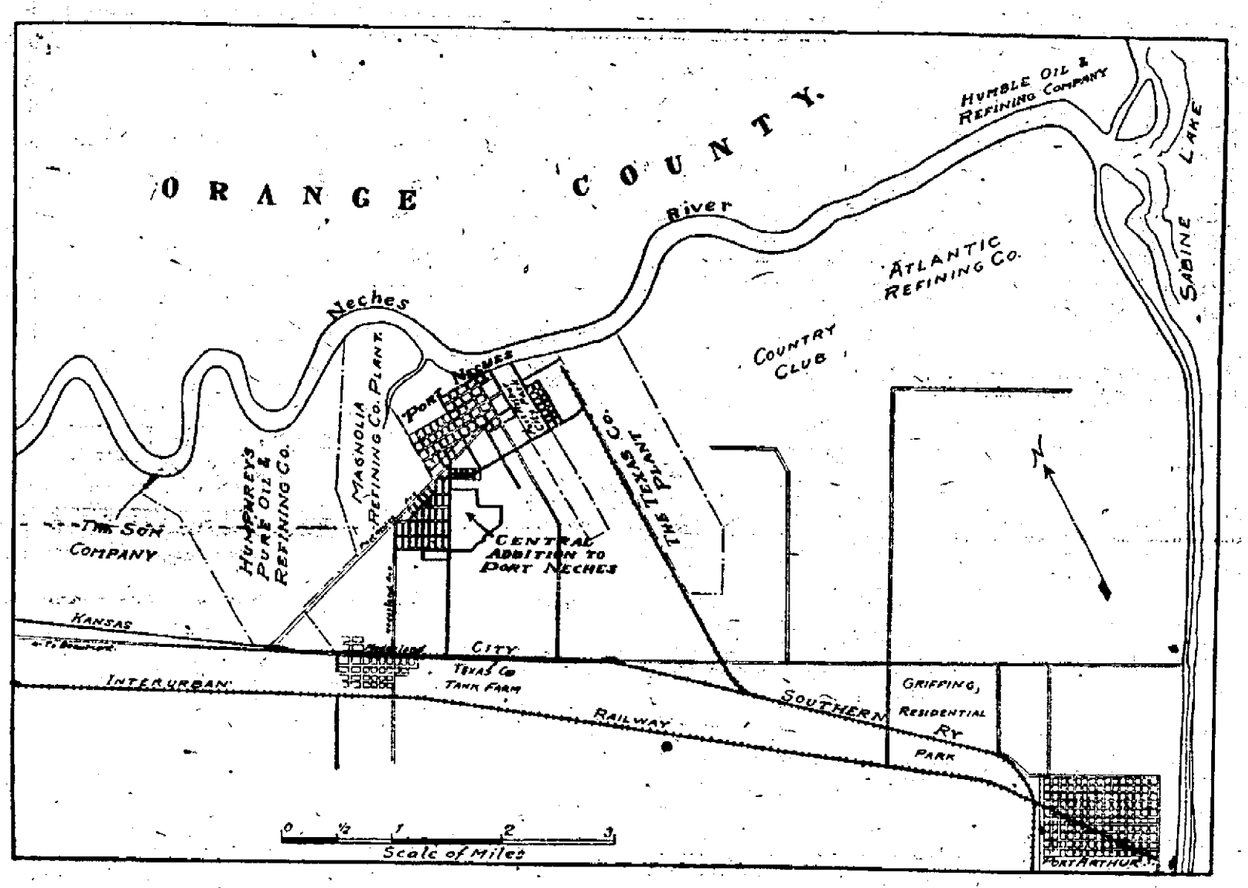
First Unit of 324 Lots practically sold out in three weeks, demonstrating the good judgment of the public in purchasing lots in Central Addition. Some purchasers have already refused offers above original list price. **There Is a Reason--Namely:** *Its unsurpassed location.*

Watch Port Neches Grow

Look at the map and you will see that Central Addition is in the heart of activities around Port Neches. With one refinery in operation and two refineries being built, Port Neches property is the best buy in Jefferson County. The Central Addition offers the greatest opportunity for investments of any property in this section. Elevation 17 feet and over which insures ample drainage.



Thirty years ago the world was scrambling for coal fields — today it's oil. Every oil refining section of the United States spells prosperity to its people. Oil in tremendously increasing quantities will be refined at Port Neches for fifty years and more to come. Real estate at and near oil refining centers must increase in value. You should share in this prosperity.

IMPROVEMENTS

Grading completed on first unit. Shell arriving and being delivered on streets. Drive out and see for yourself.

Port Neches like Port Arthur is peculiarly situated. They are both surrounded by water and refineries on three sides, making it necesary for business and residential sections to grow only in one direction. The future growth of Port Neches must be through and around Central Addition.

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$350.00 Lots, $35.00 Down—$ 7.00 Per Month.	$550.00 Lots, $55.00 Down—$11.00 Per Month.
$400.00 Lots, $40.00 Down—$ 8.00 Per Month.	$600.00 Lots, $60.00 Down—$12.00 Per Month.

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YOU AND I

PURSES

[illegible] school girls spend an average [illegible] a week apiece, boys $2.65, according to a check-up in Boston.

[illegible] many rile old-timers who recall when many a high school lad wore his old suit made over by ma. In fairness to the youngsters, though: the decreased buying power of the dollar makes it necessary to divide something by two or three to make a just comparison with the former generation's youthful pin-money.

The Boston average budget disclosed that boys spend 14 cents a week apiece for cigarets, girls half as much.

How long since you've seen a boy mowing a lawn or collecting junk?

DIAMONDS

Americans are importing diamonds at the rate of 65 million dollars worth a year. But that's only about 60 cents a year for each of us—5 cents a month— which certainly isn't extravagance in the modern sense. Making allowances for increased prices, the nation doesn't seem to be buying more diamonds than before the war.

The figures quoted are wholesale prices, not what the consumer pays. But, even at that, the price of several movies matches our diamond bill. We throw our diamond money several times over into the garbage pail.

CHINESE

Essex Market Court in New York which has been trying prisoners for more than a century, receives the first drunken Chinese in its history. Did you ever see a drunken oriental?

The widespread use of drugs among the Chinese, however, suggests that the scarcity of Chinese drunkards may be less a matter of temperance and moderation than of nerves. Chinese have no nerves, in the white man's sense, most of them being able to undergo severe operations without anesthetic. This contrast will show itself in many forms as the two races increasingly come in contact with each other commercially.

ASIA

Our much-heralded trade with the orient is back-firing. Instead of America finding big markets in the orient, the orient seems to be finding big markets in us.

During the last 12 months we bought from Asiatic countries about 550 million dollars more than we sold them.

BORROWERS

We are a nation of borrowers, as lawnmower owners already know. Loans of all banks in the country now total around 32 billion dollars or enough to put every American man, woman and child in debt $300.

Comparing this with the average income, the American people—by the bank loan route—have their earnings mortgaged six months ahead.

OIL

Mexican oil is eclipsed by the geysers of flowing gold in the big California fields. Oil exports from Mexico in the first six months of 1923 were a third less than the total of the corresponding months of a year ago.

Mexico begins checking out. California comes in. Don't ever worry about an oil famine. When California oil fizzles other fields will be opened up. That has been the experience in the industry since Colonel Drake drilled the first well.

TOM SIMS SAYS

Autos are not as thick during the rush hours as some of the drivers

One sad thing about summer is it is too hot to keep your hands in your pockets.

Talk is cheap. That is why they call it the gift of gab.

Every man is entitled to a living wage except the ones who refuse to pay it.

"Flapperitis," says a Chicago doctor, "is a disease." But it doesn't keep them at home.

All men are born helpless, but some help less than others.

Golfers and woodpeckers are about the only birds who use their heads to get into the hole.

Women powder their noses in public, so why can't men shave on the cars as they ride to work?

Several of our latest books were not late enough.

Some men argue with their wives. Others are single.

[illegible] thing about wearing an old [illegible] hat is you know the thing [illegible] not be stolen.

[illegible] all men about town are [illegible]

[illegible] successful substitute for [illegible]

[illegible] on spelling tours [illegible] spending detours.

[illegible] name? Mr. Grinsey [illegible] Ill., has just been [illegible]

[illegible] says the government printing presses to let loose upon the people [illegible] of fiat money.

COTTON.

Cotton is the money crop of the south. A crop of eleven million bales is the forecast for America for 1923. There is a forecast of four million bales for Texas and the minimum Texas crop should not go below three million five hundred thousand bales.

Experts say the boll weevil during the last five years cost the southern cotton farmer one billion five hundred million dollars exclusive of the several hundreds of millions spent for seeds that went to waste and this too on a valuation of fifteen cents a pound.

The crop value of 1922 for the united States was $1,571,299,839 and the average price was 24.06 cents per pound as compared with 17.78 cents in 1921. According to the experts the quantity of cotton carried on July 31 was 2,573,000 bales against 4,879,000 the previous year, a decrease in the carryover supply of 2,306,000 bales.

Southern consumption was the largest of any year yet recorded. To be exact, the consumption of American cotton in the south was 4,488,000 bales and in the north 2,503,000 bales, a total of 6,991,000 bales including linters. This shows the tremendous progress of the textile industry in the south and is a faint forecast of what is coming in future years. Some day every pound of cotton grown in the south will be consumed by southern mills.

Exports of cotton during the year to foreign ports were 4,850,795 bales against 6,322,470 last year or a decrease under the year before last of 946,795 bales. This shows that the cotton manufacturing industry in foreign countries was severly hit or that the high price of American cotton compelled foreign spinners to purchase the cheap grades or inferior stocks grown in other cotton producing nations.

Cotton, as has been said, is the money crop of the south. In Texas as in other southern states its sale means the intrusion of new money in the channels of commerce and finance. More than two million southern families are growers of cotton. More than five hundred thousand Texas farmers are growers of cotton. A cotton crop based on a twenty cents per pound average price will place a half billion dollars in Texas this year and twenty-five cent cotton would let loose a tide of prosperity such as Texas has never known.

Financially speaking, Texas should be basically very strong this fall and Texans should enjoy a degree of prosperity greater than the people of any other American state. Some day the cotton grown in America will be manufactured into the finished product in the mills of America but, until that day comes there must be a world market for the surplus cotton crop and that market must be found beyond the war stricken zone of Europe until the sorely distracted nations and peoples return to normalcy and forget the passions and the jealousies and the hatreds and the horrors of the past.

MEXICO.

President Coolidge promises early recognition of Mexico. This is hopeful as well as gratifying. President Taft refused recognition. President Wilson refused recognition. President Harding paved the way for recognition and now President Coolidge promises to put it over. There are a lot of foreign claimants. They say that they have bills to collect against Mexico representing a value of more than a billion dollars. Then every European national who failed to get away with a consession or a valuable piece of loot in Mexico has a claim against the Obregon government

Ninety per cent of the nationals who invaded Mexico in years gone by, were soldiers of fortune or consession seekers. They were there to get something for nothing. Now after American recognition comes they are going to flood Mexico with their damage claims.

They are like the ambulance chasers found in the states, damage suit lawyers who scent the golden fleece from afar.

President Coolidge pledges non-interference with congress in legislative work, especially regarding railraods and agriculture. The congress that will convene in December will not be a rubber stamp congress unless the president changes his mind. Harding was not a Roosevelt nor a Wilson. If he runs true to pledges Coolidge will walk in the footprints of Harding as Harding walked in the footprints of Taft and McKinley.

HE WAS A PRINTER BOY

Warren G. Harding was a successful man—successful in every way. He was born on a little farm. He worked with his hands in his boyhood. He became a printer and served an apprenticeship. He became a reporter and a successful reporter. He became an editor and a publisher, and created by act of industry and intelligent effort a fortune.

He became a lawmaker and his people acclaimed him as wise and honest. He became a lieutenant governor and was a winner there. He became a United States senator and followed the light of his convictions. He became president and the people grew to love him and this, too, regardless of party. He died and the tears of all the people fell upon his bier.

And then the contents of his will was made known and the news was broadcasted that the estate he had bequeathed to his widow represented a value of more than seven hundred thousand dollars. He was the first printer ever elected to the high office of president. This is a land of opportunities, a land where merit wins, a land where the accident of birth has nothing to do with the case, a land where the people honor a man who honors himself.

Now that the king is dead, "long live the king." This is the slogan of the mob; this is the song of the multitude; this is the shibboleth of the politicians and those who are crazy for the crumbs that may be swept from the official table by the new dispenser of public patronage.

It has been so from the beginning. It will remain so until the end of time; but the good that men do lives after them and Warren G. Harding, the printer boy of other years, found for himself a noble place in American history.

GOOD OLD AMERICAN DOLLAR.

Now that the German mark has touched the lowest depth of degredation and dishonor, there is a revolution due in that country. A mark is a hissing and a byword. A million marks will not buy a breakfast. Those who control food supplies will not accept the mark as currency of the realm and hunger awaits those who have marks but who must buy food.

There is a dollar in America that is not dishonored. It has never been a degraded dollar. This for the gentlemen who dwell in the valley of lunacy and are forever clamoring for the government printing presses to let loose upon the people [illegible] of fiat money.

Boyhood Heroes

The Tangle

An honest Story of honest People in honest Love

LETTER FROM PRISCILLA BRADFORD TO JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT

MY DEAR MR. PRESCOTT:

I am writing this without the knowledge of your dear mother, but I think it is not only right but important that you should know that your mother is in a very serious condition.

For the last few days she has refused all food except the breast of chicken or some other dainty morsel with which I have tried to tempt her appetite. I have begged and begged her to assuage her unhappiness with tears, but she has not wept at all.

She says very little except in short exclamation like, "How could he do it! Has he no regard for his mother? I cannot understand it!" etc. etc.

Of course, I do not know to what she refers, but I am sure, my dear Mr. Prescott, if you could see her and hear her grief-stricken accents, you would feel as I do, that she is a woman who has been hurt by something or some one, almost beyond her limit of either spiritual or physical endurance.

I hope you will not think I am intrying in writing you this letter, but your dear mother has been such a friend to me and I find in her such a wealth of strightforward principles and unflagging zeal for right living, that I count myself fortunate in being able to spend more or less of my time with her. I do not want to make Mrs. Prescott Jr. envious, but I cannot help writing you my feelings in this regard.

Your mother seems to be very much concerned about finances. (Surely you know, Mr. Prescott, I would not refer to this to you, almost a perfect stranger, were I not in turn so concerned about your mother's health.) She has only been able to put a quarter as much as usual into her savings account at the bank, and it has preyed upon her mind greatly, especially as she seems to feel that even this amount must be further depleted by the payment of a comparatively small bill to the man who painted her house.

I took the liberty of telling her that I knew you did not understand about it, that you were not heartless nor thoughtless, even though you had married a modern girl or rather a girl with all the modern tendencies toward excitement and frivolous living.

I did this because I have come to the slow but sure conclusion that, unless something can be done to clear up this misunderstanding between you and your mother, you will not have her in the land of living long.

Will you please receive my kindest inquiries as to the state of Mrs. Prescott's health and believe me always.

Yours very truly,
PRISCILLA BRADFORD.

TELEGRAM FROM JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT TO PRISCILLA BRADFORD

Letter received and contents noted.
JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT.

TOMORROW—Wires and a letter—Leslie is better.

SCHOOL HOUSE COMPLETED

HAZLEHURST, Miss., Aug. 11.—Rockport consolidated high school has completed its new schoolhouse and Beauregard is to let contract for its new large house in a few days. The Beauregard bonds have been voted and will be sold at once. It will cost $7000.

SCHOOL AWARDED PRIZE

HAZLEHURST, Miss., Aug. 11.—J. Q. Martin, superintendent of education, who offered $10 as a prize to the school making the best record the past session, has announced the Krane consolidated school won the prize.

Amusements

SATURDAY

Peoples: Barbara LaMarr Richard Tucker, David Butler and others, starring "Poor Men's Wives." Al St. John Comedy.

Strand: A well known cast starring in "Success." Comedy and Fox News.

Pearce: Agnes Ayres and Mahlon Hamilton in "Heart Raiders."

Green Tree: "The Birth of a Nation," and Jungle Goddess serial.

A BALLAD OF AN EMPTY STOMACH
By Berton Braley

The world is reeking with wrath and woe,
And things are hurrying to decay:
The country's ruined, believe me, bo,
And there's the devil to pay!
The skies are sullen and gray,
My purse is thin and it's getting thinner.
However, there is this much to say,
Maybe I'll feel better after dinner!

My fond illusions have lost their glow,
My various idols have feet of clay:
I find existence exceeding slow,
And there's the devil and all to pay,
My hopes seem all of them gone astray
(But it may be due to my craving inner,
So I won't poison myself today.)
Maybe I'll feel better after dinner.

For most of the worries that fret me so
Are due to hunger I can allay,
And though my spirits are falling low
And there's the devil and all to pay,
A steak and some fried potatoes may
Convince me I am a certain winner;
Though things seem all in a terrible way,
Maybe I'll feel better after dinner.

ENVOY

So though I'm awfully far from gay,
And there's the devil and all to pay,
And life seems tough to a suffering sinner,
Maybe I'll feel beter—after dinner!

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Editor Calls Kaiser Windbag and Flying Dutchman on Statue

BERLIN, Aug. 11.—"To William, the brilliant windbag and flying Dutchman," is the inscription which Die Welt Am Montag suggests be put on the monument to William II, which stands on a hill overlooking the Baltic near the bathing resort of Binze.

The monument—a bas relief of the former monarch—now bears the words: "To William, ruler of seas, master of armies, this ancient stone pays homage."

If the metal collecting commission fails to scrap the monument Die Welt Am Montag urges that the inscription be changed.

FAIR DETAILS WORKED OUT

MERIDIAN, Miss., Aug. 11.—A. H. George, secretary and general manager of the Mississippi-Alabama fair, states that preliminary details for the thirteenth annual fair the week of October 8 to 13, inclusive, are well in hand. He says that many contracts for amusement features have already been made and that letting of space in the various department buildings is under way. Details are so far advanced as to indicate, Secretary George said, that the fair this fall will be by far the most important the association has ever attempted.

Know Thy-Self

Fellow American College of Surgeons

RHEUMATISM

Nature fully intended that human being should be supplied with fresh air, substantial plain food, uncontaminated drinking water and plenty of exercise, thus insuring a perfect combustion of oxygen and food to maintain a safe balance throughout the body and the balance throughout the body and the elimination of waste and poison. But as we know to our sorrow nature's laws and rules governing health are often interfered with and broken in our complex living conditions.

Rheumatism is one of the results of these broken laws and the punishment is severe. It is an infectious disease and attacks the tissues of low resistance. If taken in time rheumatism will cure itself.

Your Own Physician.

You must see to it that the hygienic life is carried out and thoroughly lived up to in all organs of the body. Right living means no excess in eating, thorough elimination, and careful habits. In other words, rheumatism is cured from within by yourself, and not from without by someone else.

The two principal causes are: First, lack of proper food, chiefly due to our insufficient knowledge of food chemistry, together with bad digestion and little or no exercise or sanity habits; second, by the occupations and exposure to which many persons, chiefly males, are victims.

Injuries to joints, low or nervous debility, excessive muscular labor, or chronic alcoholism are also frequent causes of rheumatism. The tonsils seem to be a common habitat for this germ. Have them carefully examined and removed if diseased. If you have pus pockets at the roots of your teeth, have them treated or taken out before it is too late. However, pus formation does not play the part which has generally been thought in the form of rheumatism known as arthritis.

Food a Counteractive.

In the prevention of this disease we must be careful to eat the proper foods and keep the life stream normal. Do not allow any poison to be retained in your system, through bad elimination or careless habits and lack of exercise as you advance in years. Nature will aid by giving you the best medicine in the world—raw vegetables. Lettuce, watercress, cabbage, cucumbers and celery, together with the so-called root vegetables, carrots, onions, radishes, beets and parsnips and our old friend tomatoes.

Most people in middle life eat too much meat. In fact, many physicians claim that certain kinds of rheumatism are due to non-neutralized acid poisons of protein metabolism. Chronic or muscular rheumatism well advanced on its way is a tough customer. Medicine is not of much value. Relief for a time may be obtained by warm massage or sweating the joints, and hot mud baths. Be careful about changes, cold and dampness. Dry, equable climate is sometimes a great help, although comparatively few are able to enjoy such a change.

WOOD HURLED THRU WINDOW

GREENWOOD, Miss., Aug. 11.—A big piece of wood, hurled by a tire of a passing automobile, crashed through a plate glass window of Raines' drug store. A number of pieces of block were on the street next to the excavation work in progress in laying telephone conduit. Several bystanders on the corner narrowly escaped being struck.

WORK ON SCHOOL PROPOSED

GULFPORT, Miss., Aug. 11.—Structural steel which has been delaying construction work on the Gulfport high school building, has arrived and is being placed in position. It is said additional laborers will be put on with the view of rushing the building to early completion.

THE YELLOW SEVEN
THE DAUGHTER OF CHAI-HUNG

By Edmund Snell.
Illustrated by [illegible]

OMAHA STARTS JUL. 1923.

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Peter Pennington, detective, is detailed by the government to run to earth The Yellow Seven, a gang of Chinese bandits. He suspects Chai-Hung, influential Chinese, of being their leader. Monica Viney is the sister of Captain John Hewitt, commissioner of police at Jesselton, British North Borneo. Pennington goes to Ketatan after receiving a letter from a rubber planter named Brabazon. The daughter of Chai-Hung lures Brabazon into the garden of her father's home in Ketatan.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

A girl came suddenly down the path—a slim, youthful figure in light blue, bordered with bands of black, and, entering the shrine, fell prostrate before the altar.

The man who had scaled the wall extinguished his cigaret and crept into a clump of bushes where he lay prone. For a space of many minutes Suey-Koo—the daughter of Chai-Hung—bowed her head before the bronze vases. Presently she came slowly to her feet, at the same time drawing a narrow, black cylinder from a voluminous sleeve. The head of the watcher in the bushes jerked upward and the Chinaman's eye fell upon a nakey blade, flashing even in the diffused light of the little josshouse, a knife that the harmless-looking cylinder had concealed.

A whistle came from the darkness beyond the pallisade, and Suey-Koo slipped the dagger out of sight. She passed the bush so closely that a faint whiff of alluring perfume waited to the nostrols of the intruder. One of the smaller gates swung open and an Englishman with a broad, handsome face stepped through. He took the tiny hands of the Chinese girl and bent over them, then saluted her—in the manner of the Westerners—full on the lips.

From his hiding-place, the man in greasy black heard the soft, cooing laughter of the girl, the deep, easy tones of the Englishman as he spoke to her. The moon stole between the palm-trees, as they walked together toward the screen of oiled paper and woven cane that served to keep the evil spirits from the house of Chai-Hung and then, as they paused in the center of the flower-bordered path, a thing happened that perplexed the unseen onlooker strangely. The man in white duck slipped both arms round the girl, drawing her to him: A truant ray of silver light fell across her flushed cheeks as through lids half-closed she looked up into her lover's face. Suddenly she pushed him violently from her, her slim right hand groping in the depths of her sleeve. With a queer half-cry, half-sob, she disengaged the knife that nestled in its glossy sheath—and threw it with all the strength she could command into the undergrowth. A moment later she lay weeping in the Englishman's arms. By a strange freak of chance, the weapon struck a branch and dropped within a couple of yards from where the Chinaman lay.

With a weird, twisted smile, the man stretched out a long, lean arm and secured it. He looked up to see that a hidden panel in the screen had been drawn aside, revealing the face of Chai-Hung, hideously distorted until it resembled that of a ghastly idol. The panel closed, the lovers moved on toward the building, and the mysterious interloper rose noiselessly and crept after them.

The Englishman and the girl disappeared beyond the screen and, as if at a given signal, the deep tones of a native gong rang out suddenly in the blackness. The Chinaman dropped instinctively, flattening out until nothing was to be seen above the lank grass into which he had fallen, and the whole enclosure within the pallisade burst suddenly into life, pattering with the noise of bare and sandaled feet.

The Yellow Seven had called—and the legions of the great Chai-Hung converged on the trap into which the white man had fallen, eager for the sacrifice! Shadowy forms swept on to the path and vanished beyond the building, and presently a piercing scream broke upon the night.

The Chinaman sprong erect and dived behind the screen. In his left hand he held an automatic pistol, but the weapon with which he silenced the sentry at the door was the knife in the glossy black sheath that he had first seen in the joss-house in the fair hand of Suey-Koo.

To Brabazon—confident that the commissioner had driven the redoubtable Chai-Hung into the jungle—there was something delightfully intimate in this invitation to drink tea—in true Chinese fashion, sitting on severe, high-backed chairs before a black-wood table. Suey-Koo drew him gently to an inner room. Suddenly, a scream of terror from the girl at his side, caused him to glance sharply around. He stared in amazement into the evil eyes of the great Chai-Hung. His hands were folded over an enormous paunch, the corners of his mouth turned ominously down, and he nodded his head like one of those Chinese figures Brabazon had seen in tea-shops.

"We meet again, Mr. Brabazon," he said smoothly, "and, I can assure you, it is for the last time!"

Instinctively, but without hope, Brabazon's hand shot to his pocket. He had not thought to come armed to meet Suey-Koo.

"Your daughter was just showing me round," he replied, forcing a smile. It occurred to him a second later that it was rather an unusual hour of the night to call anywhere, and that, in any case, he had no right to be on terms of acquaintance with the daughter of a wealthy Chinaman.

"Ah!" commented the other. "She has not shown you everything, because she does not know everything that there is to show. We are somewhat different in our treatment of women, Mr. Brabazon. We keep them, in many respects, uninformed. We do not allow them the freedom that western races do. we do not permit them to meet casual strangers. During my enforced absence, discipline has relaxed. I came back, as quickly as possible, to remedy this. I find it is beyond my powers. I see that it is too late!"

Brabazon placed his hands on his hips and jerked out his chin.

"I'm afraid I don't quite follow you, Mr. Chai-Hung," he said.

The girl had fallen to her knees, her head buried in her arms.

"After I leave you here—together," he continued in the same measured tones, tempered with a certain degree of sarshness, "you will have a certain—limited time in which to reflect." He backed suddenly toward the door.

He remained for a second, framed in the doorway. The door closed with a peculiar, metallic sound that suggested that it would not easily be opened again, and Brabazon, mute with astonishment, saw that there were no windows!

A faint moan from the direction of the floor caused him to stoop and lift the trembling girl to her feet. She smiled faintly up at him through her tears.

"It is the end," she whispered.

Brabazon laughed aloud.

"The end! What utter nonsense. It'll have to be a damned strong place to keep me in!"

He made as if to try the door and Suey-Koo screamed again.

"Look at that idol!" she implored him—and Brabazon looked.

The head of the effigy was lost in a faint green vapor that was pouring from its open mouth and hideous sightless eyes, in gusty wreaths as if it were puffed out by a hidden bellows.

The girl crept up to him, encircling him with her slender arms.

"It is better to die together—so, than to live forever apart."

He pressed his lips to her forehead, then thrust her from him gently and began examining the walls, like a caged beast seeking for a faulty bar. He came back to her presently and together they leant against the wall by the door, watching in silence as the vault above them became filled with a poisonous cloud of smoke.

"There is just one chance, little Suey-Koo," he murmured after a long silence, trying to buoy her hopes with something he himself dared not believe.

"There is none," she declared. "My father is all-powerful here."

"There is just one," he persisted. "There is 'he who sees in the dark'—the Englishman who is your father's shadow."

She nestled closer to him, her fingers stroking his cheeks carressingly.

"He will not come," she said. "I don't think I want him to come. I would rather stop like this, for then I shall always have you. Out in the great world again—I should lose you forever."

He took her by both shoulders and held her away from him, forcing her to look into his eyes.

"Never on your life, Suey-Koo," he cried.

Almost at his side, the door flew open with surprising suddenness, revealing two struggling forms beyond. From a tall man in a suit of greasy black, the words rapped out like a command:

"Brabazon, get that girl out, quickly! No you don't, you yellow swine!" This to the ponderous Oriental who strove to wrench himself free from a grip that had fastened on him like a vice. "There's a pistol in my left pocket. Can you get it? Keep them off for a couple of ticks—and I'm with you!"

With a Herculean effort, Pennington sent Chai-Hung headlong into the chamber of death—and deliberately closed the door on him, the door that could only be opened from outside.

Brabazon, still keeping Suey-Koo behind him, shot the first man that swaggered into view. The half-dozen who followed tripped over his body—and Pennington knocked out the light.

Once more beyond the pallisade, the din of conflict still in their ears, Pennington turned to his friend.

"You don't mean to tell me you've brought the girl?" he demanded, grinning broadly.

"You bet your life I have," retorted Brabazon. "What's more, I'm going to keep her!"

Pennington looked from Brabazon to Suey-Koo and from Suey-Koo to the starr.

"There's a boat leaves for Singapore tomorrow," he said slowly. "It's a bit healthier over there than here and I'll give you a chit to a feller I know who's starting oil!"

"The Bronze Jar," the next episode of this gripping series, will start in our next issue.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
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William Oeschger, pastor

Last Sunday the Men's Class had their picture taken. The picture will be shown Sunday morning to the class, and all the members of the class will be able to order one, if they desire one, after seeing it. Mrs. Oeschger has sent out her last letter to her class. Mrs. H. B. Stanley will have charge of the school.

At the morning service Dr. Oeschger will speak on "The Essentials of a Great Church."

The Sunday school begins at 9:30 a. m., and the regular morning worship period at 10:50, and last just forty minutes.

The C. E. meeting Sunday night will be a union meeting. Three societies will join in this service, the Presbyterian, Congregational, and the Christian. The time of meeting is 6:45 p. m. At the evening worship period, Dr. Oeschger will speak on "The Death of Christ." Mrs. C. G. Hall will sing one of her soul-inspiring solos. The picture reel to be shown Sunday night will be "The Crucifixion." It will be very fine.

Rev. R. R. Yelderman, who was called to the pastorate of the church, has accepted the call and will begin his work here on the first Sunday in October.

A pressing invitation is extended to all to come and join us in all of our services.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST
Chapel, Port Arthur College,
1500 Procter street

Services Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Spirit."

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.

A reading room is open each week day except holidays, on the second floor of the Harris building, 526 Fifth street, room 15.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services and visit the reading room.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Stilwell and Lake Shore
W. E. Blackstock, pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., W. Abbey, superintendent.

Morning worship, 10:45.

Epworth League, 7 p. m.

Evening services, 8 o'clock.

H. A. Brooks will preach at both services.

If not obliged to attend some other church in the city, fulfill your obligation by availing yourselves of these services.

THE I. B. S. A.
629 Procter street

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Sunday school study, 9:45.

The Beautiful Harp of God at 11 a. m.

Public lecture 8 p. m. Subject, "The Resurrection of the Dead." St. John 5:28-29.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
West Sixteenth street
J. H. Dobbs, pastor

Sunday school 9:45. F. T. Outlaw superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

B. Y. P. U. meetings conducted by Miss Iva Stewart, Mrs. Lena Smith and Mrs. Hazel Woolman.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:45.

French preaching, Thursday evening at 7:45, by P. B. Pettipas.

All who are not attending some other church are requested to attend the services of this church. There is a place in the Sunday school for all.

FIRST BAPTIST
C. W. Culp, pastor.

V. G. Miles, assistant pastor.

Services for Sunday, Aug. 12, 1923.

Our services are being exceptionally well attended for the month of August. Note the time of the following services for Sunday and things of interest in connection with each of them.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. The Sunday school averaged 400 for the month of July. The loyalty certificates will be awarded Sunday morning at the preaching service. August is mystery month. Each person attending Sunday school during the month will be given an envelope each Sunday. The information contained in the four envelopes will give us the mystery. If any of the envelopes are missed the mystery will not be understandable. Mystery month is creating much interest.

Preaching service, 10:45 a. m. There will be special music at this service and the loyalty certificates will be presented by the superintendent to all those attending Sunday school during the month of July. The pastor will have a special message that he is very anxious for a large audience to hear.

B. Y. P. U.'s—, 6:15 p. m. Parents are requested to not let the children come to the Junior and Intermediate B. Y. P. U. before time. They will not be let into the building until 6 o'clock, 15 minutes before time to begin. We want all our children and young people in our B. Y. P. U.'s and we urge the co-operation of the parents in helping us do the most good possible.

Preaching service, 7:45 p. m. The pastor preaches the second of a series of nine sermons on the ten commandments. The sermon will be the third commandment, or "The Most Unreasonable Sin." The following questions will be discussed and answered: Is hypocrisy covenant breaking, rash swearing, false swearing, or using the name of God lightly, carelessly breaking the third commandment? Something interesting and very profitable is promised for the sermon Sunday night.

CENTRAL BAPTIST

Sunday school at 10 a. m., Associate Superintendent W. S. Alford in charge. While we are crowded for room we can always find a place for those not attending elsewhere.

Pastor T. E. Cannedy will preach at both hours. Special music and stirring song service at the evening hour. A revival meeting in this church will begin Sept. 16. State Evangelist Rev. G. W. Owens will do the preaching.

The training service of the church will be held at 6:30, each B. Y. P. U. putting on a good program.

Prayer meeting at 7:45 Wednesday. The various circles of the Woman's auxiliary will meet on Tuesday. The last rally meeting of the Associational auxiliary will meet with the Daisetta church Tuesday.

To all the services a cordial invitation is extended.

TRINITY LUTHERAN
Fourteenth and San Antonio
F. W. Siebeltz, pastor.

Sunday school 9 a. m. Prof. H. Wittmershaus, supt.

Divine service with celebration of the Lord's supper at 10 a. m. The preparatory service begins at 9:45 a. m. Sermon topic "The Pharasee and the Publican," Luke 18:9-14.

The Walther leagues, Junior and Senior will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. to discuss an important matter.

Group One of the Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Overton, 2241 Fifth street, Thursday at 2 o'clock.

The male choir will have rehearsal Thursday evening, 7:30.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH
131 Fifth street
V. A. Godbey and R. C. Cocus, pastors

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Revival services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. which will close the series of services. Those who desire to hear Rev. K. C. Minter at either hour on Sunday should come early, as we will have an overflow. The fans will be installed on the second floor and the night services on the roof will guarantee comfort of all who come. Intermediate league and Senior league both meet at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. on the third floor.

Bring all offerings due on the general budget and on the building fund if possible. Also bring a special offering to defray expense of revival services and to compensate the evangelist.

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Says Rangers Have Enough Evidence to Arrest Head

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 11.—"We've got the evidence and I expect some immediate results," was the laconic answer of Adjutant General Thomas D. Barton as he strolled through the corridors of the Bexar county courthouse today when questioned regarding recent activities of state rangers in the city.

Upstairs the Bexar county grand jury deliberated.

General Barton returned to operation headquarters at the Gunter hotel late last night to assume personal command of his thin drab line and lead the skirmish against vice, which the state alleges to be firmly intrenched in various sectors of the city.

"We are here to stop all forms of gambling and other vice," he declared. "But primarily we are after the 'higher ups'—the parasite who runs the game and the property owner who knowingly rents his property to be used as a gaming place.

"Furthermore, we already have the unimpeachable evidence to railroad some of the big ones to the state penitentiary."

General Barton declared that since the operations of his department first began in this city in March a vast amount of evidence had been returned against the professional gambler of San Antonio, and that he had a list of 100 witnesses, many of whom are prominent in business and social life of San Antonio, to support his charge.

WASHING BOTTLES

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Advertising is news—it is a message to that man or woman who subconsciously or consciously needs the product that you have for sale.

First the opinion, then the conviction. If you don't in some way attempt to tell the public you are in business possibly they will never know. Advertising is cheap but by no means should be wasted.

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Tennis Stadium Opened With Tourney on Gotham Court

Wills Clashes with British Player in First Court Tilt

Mrs. Mallory, Hazel Wightman, Katherine McKane and Other Celebrities to Initiate New Field Recently Finished in New York.

By HENRY L. FARRELL

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—With the first of the international women's matches today at Forest Hills, tennis will start its big annual splurge over the sport terrain.

With two singles matches and a double contest in the play for the Hazel Hotchkiss Wightman trophy by the British and American teams this afternoon the season will be started and the new stadium of the west side tennis club will be opened officially.

Four of America's best women players will oppose the four ranking stars of England in the first international match that has been staged between fair stars of the two countries.

Miss Helen Wills, the California girl star, and Miss Kathlene McKane, the youthful British star, both of whom are looked upon as likely candidates for world's championship honors, will have their privilege of playing the first match in America's finest tennis stadium.

Mrs. Molla Mallory, the American champion, and Mrs. B. C. Clayton will play in the second singles match and Miss Ealeanor Goss and Mrs. Hazel Wightman will be paired in the doubles against Miss McKane and Mrs. B. C. Covell.

Strength of the British team was manifested early in the season on the other side when three of the team—Miss McKane, Mrs. Geraldine Beamish and Mrs. Clayton defeated the American champion, Mrs. Mallory.

Since her return from Europe, Mrs. Mallory has come back on her game and she seems able to carry the heavy part of the battle for the trophy that will fall upon her.

With Mrs. Mallory, the "Little Wills girl," will do most of the work for the American team. The California girl has been beaten by Mrs. Mallory and Miss Goss since she came east, but in both cases she was weakened by intense heat after she had won the first set.

City Schedule

How They Stand

Team—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Gulf	16	7	.667
Texas	13	10	.565
City	14	11	.560
Island	6	21	.222

Games Next Week.

Monday (August 13)—Texas vs. Gulf (postponed from May 9).

Tuesday (August 14)—City vs. Island (postponed from June 12).

Wednesday (August 15)—Texas vs. Island (postponed from July 11)

Thursday (August 16)—Gulf vs. City (postponed from July 12).

Friday (August 15)—Gulf vs. Island (postponed from July 13).

Saturday (August 16)—City vs. Texas (postponed from April 24).

CLASH AGAIN TO BREAK TIE

Japs Meet Australian Davis Cup Team

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Australian and Japanese teams meet in an attempt to break the tie in their Davis cup series here today.

J. O. Anderson and J. B. Hawkes, Australia will oppose Zenzo Shimizu and Masanosuke Fukuda, Japan, in a double match.

Following the Davis cup play, William T. Tilden and Don Manuel Alonzo will play an exhibition singles, renewing the rivalry that resulted in Tilden's defeat at Skokie and his victory over the Spaniard later at Indianapolis.

Australians and Japanese will play two singles tomorrow.

BATON ROUGE VOTES ON HUGE BOND ISSUE

BATON ROUGE, La., Aug. 11.—Baton Rouge will vote September 11 on a $2,000,000 bond issue for municipal improvements. The ordinance calling the election was passed this morning by the city commission council.

Items to be included in the issue are: Sewers, $325,000; street improvements $600,000; drainage $325,000; fire protection $175,000; municipal wharves and docks for ocean going vessels and river barges $350,000; public library $20,000 to be used with other funds; opening streets $35,000; city hall $50,000, and public parks $75,000.

The proposition, if it carries, will provide sewerage for every house in the city and eliminate every dirt street.

THINKS BETTER OF SUICIDE THREATS

BATON ROUGE, La., Aug. 11.—W. E. Gray, 62 years old, white man of Hattiesburg, Miss., after numerous efforts to commit suicide Saturday, has reconciled himself to living.

Despondent because he could not make a living and had no friends, he jumped into the Mississippi river. The river returned the body to the shore before he drowned. Again and again he tried it with the same result. Then he resorted to the use of a knife and cut his wrists and throat. But unable to die he went to an office and asked to be put in jail.

[illegible]PPI LEVEES [illegible] BE EXTENDED

[illegible] La., August 11.—The [illegible] of the Texas [illegible] has pledged itself [illegible] Louisiana [illegible]

City League Game Between Gulfies And Texacos for Today Cancelled

At the eleventh hour last night, the managements of the Texacos and Gulfies, according to announcements made this morning by President George Waddell of the City League, postponed their baseball game which had been set up to this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Consequently, there will be no City League game this afternoon on Lakeshore Diamond.

The postponed game will probably be played sometime during the coming week, it was announced by League officials.

Runner-Up

Joseph Wells of East Liverpool, O., was a runner-up in the semi-finals in the western amateur golf matches at the Mayfield country club in Cleveland.

CITY LEAGUE DRAWS TO END

Only 11 Games Left to Decide Title

Unless Jupiter Pluvius interferes, the City League will draw to a close in the next two weeks.

Eleven games remain to be played in the league race; the Island club will close its division of the schedule this week with three games, while the City, Gulf and Texaco Stars will battle on into next week to decide the championship.

The remaining games to be played, as shown in the city schedule carried in another column of today's sport page, constitute a complete lineup of postponed games: the Island has three games to play, the Texas company seven, the City five and the Gulf company seven.

The Island's games are equally divided among the other three clubs in the league, while the City has two with the Texas and two with the Gulf, and the Gulf four with the Texas company.

Although the Gulf is officially three games in the lead of her nearest opponent, the Texas company, the remaining games to be played can change materially the finish.

Only the next few games can determined definitely before the closing date just who the City league winner will be.

KINKS O' THE LINKS

BY "PRO"

In playing from the tee A just glazes the ball on the downward swing, causing it to move about four inches off the sand tee. It is apparent that the sand used for making the tee will interfere with A in his next shot. A contends that he has the right to remove the sand and not suffer a penalty for so doing. B, his opponent, contends that he has no such right and should be penalized if he did remove the sand. Who is right?

A is correct in his contention. The sand used for the tee should be regarded as loose impediment, which of course gives A the right to remove it without suffering any penalty.

In dropping a ball that has been lifted from a water hazard, the understanding is that the ball cannot be dropped nearer to the hole. In a recent match between A and B the direct opposite of this condition arose. A contended that a player after lifting a ball from a water hazard could go back as far as he chose before dropping the ball, while B insisted certain restrictions existed. Who is right?

A is correct in his contention. A player has the right to go as far back as he pleases, even to the teeing ground, provided he keep the place where the ball crossed the margin of the hazard between himself and the hole in dropping the ball.

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RATE GRANTHAM SECOND JOHNNY

Experts Pay Tribute to New Player

CHICAGO, Aug. 11. — The second edition of Johnny Evers is George F. Grantham.

When Evers, alias the "Keystone King" and author of "Touching Second," removed his uniform and departed fans never expected to see his equal again.

But Bill Killefer, who believes in developing youth, found George Grantham, a third baseman with the Omaha club in the Western league last season, on his squad this spring.

With two infield positions open—second and third, Killefer asked his recruit what he knew about the middle sack.

"Lead me out to it and I'll show you," was Grantham's reply.

Killefer did, with the result that he claims he has the second edition of Johnny Evers in his young product.

At present Grantham is startling the National league by becoming the leading base stealer. He has passed Max Carey, who has held the honor for years. He is ahead of Sammy Bohne, another artist at that line, and he is regarded as the hardest runner in the league to catch on a steal.

Grantham does not take the big lead of Carey or Cobb, but he gets the jump on the pitcher. He breaks away like a streak, uses a long slide and hooks his foot to the bag perfectly.

In fielding Grantham already is showing promise of making good Killefer's boast. He has a big pair of hands, scoops in a roller similar to the inimitable Honus Wagner, snaps the ball with an underhand shoot and does not give up on a roler until it has passed him.

When Killefer succeeded Johnny Evers as manager of the Cubs he announced that he would rebuild with youth. He did not want wornout veterans. He was going to put together a fast, snappy machine. That's just what he has done and Grantham is an important link in the chain.

Grantham bats from both sides of the plate, was born May 20, 1900, at Kingman, Ariz., stands 5 feet 10 inches and weighs 156 pounds.

KAYSES INVADE SABINE FIELD

Local Knights to Play Fast Squad

With the cream of their organization picked to represent them, the Port Arthur Knights of Columbus leave here tomorrow for a game against the Sabine ball club on the latter's field. The game will be played at 3:30 o'clock.

The Sabine nine already claims a win over the local Kaseys, but the latter is going out this trip confident of winning the issue. The following players will make the trip:

Steel, Freed, Barras, F. Langridge, M. Langridge, Daspit, Cuddy, LeBlanc, McCormick, Murphy and Moran.

MORE RUMORS

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Rumors of changes in the management of several major league teams was heard today. Lee Fohl, deposed manager of the Browns, will succeed Frank Chance at the head of the Boston Red Sox and Chance will get another club; George Sisler will manage the Browns and Bill Donovan will manage the Tigers in place of Ty Cobb who is going to become an owner, according to reports.

JACK SETS PACE

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Aug. 11.—Jack Dempsey today began to swing into real training work in preparation for his argument with Luis Firpo, next month, and by Monday intends to be doing active ring work at his training camp here. Additional sparring partners are expected at the champions camp late today or tomorrow.

RALPH CLIPS TIME

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Ralph De Palma clipped 2-5 of a second off the Hawthorne track record of :53 2-5, following a smashup in which he narowly escaped death and Angelo Pacinni, New York, his mechanic, sustained a broken arm.

A DIRTY TRICK

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. Aug. 11.—While "Bill" Roper, Philadelphia counsilman and coach of the Princeton football team, was spending a night in jail investigating prison conditions, a burglar broke into his home and stole a suit of clothing valued at $100.

FIRST OPEN BOLL RECEIVED

GREENVILLE, Miss., Aug. 11.—The first boll of open cotton to reach Greenville from the crop of the Delta for 1923 was received here from the plantation of Joel Myers, Sr., of Grace, Issaquena county, 35 miles south of Greenville. The open boll was perfectly formed and apparently thoroughly matured. The boll was sent to Blum & Goldstein.

RACE TRACK IS 'SALTED' DOWN

Plan Big Card of Events for Sunday

There will be dust at the Port Arthur speedway races Sunday, according to a statement of U. P. Broussard, manager, Friday evening. The reason is the scatering over the track of 12 tons of salt and the shower of rain that came along Friday afternoon to wet it down, thus preventing dust from rising.

Work of wetting the salted track had been begun Thursday with sprinkling carts. This had demonstrated, according to Broussard, that the dust laying was a success. Water put on the course during Thursday forenoon had withstood the hot sun of all that day and had gathered more cut of the air during Thursday night. Examination of the portions of the track wetted on Thursday showed that moisture had penetrated nearly an inch deep during Thursday night and, in driving a fast car over the salted section, it was not possible to raise a dust. Friday afternoon's rain completed the success of the experiment with salt. It thoroughly and evenly mositened the track and the consequence now will be that so long as the salt remains the moisture will remain and the dust nuisance will be eliminated.

Fourteen cars are scheduled to start in Sunday's races, of which six will be from Beaumont and Port Arthur. A special race has been arranged by the management for the local East Texas cars. It is a 12-mile race for semi-stock, stripped cars. The winners of first, second and third places in this event will be eligible to compete in the final number on the program.

The second race will be for cars of 200-inch piston displacement and over. This takes in the larger cars, such as Hudson, Packard, Dodge, Buick and the like. The three winners from this also will be eligible for the final race.

The third event will be 12 miles for lighter cars—the 200 cubic inches and under. This is the Ford, Chevrolet the Essex size. Also it will let in the Durant four, which measures just 200 inches. The winners in this race will be pitted against the fast racing machines from Houston in the final event, also a 12-mile race.

Puzzling Plays

THE PLAY

Ground rules often create trouble. That is one reason why spectators are never allowed on the field during a world series.

With the ropes stretched in right field, all hits in a minor league game last summer that went into that territory were limited to two bases.

On one occasion the right fielder backed up against the ropes, caught the ball and fellover the ropes into the two-base territory.

In another case he jumped over the rope and made a catch of the ball at about the same spot.

What decision would have been correct in each case?

The Interpretation

The batsman should have been declared out on the first play made by the right fielder. He caught the ball in playing territory, completing a legal catch, and the batsman was out regardless of the fact that he fell over the ropes, landing in restricted territory.

In the other case the batsman was entitled to two bases. The fielder had no right to jump over the ropes and make a play in restricted territory.

URGE NEW SEASON

NOTRE DAME, Ind., Aug. 11.—Coaches attending the annual Notre Dame school today urged limiting of the basketball season in high schools and colleges to two months. They declared the game, taking the place of football, is responsible for the "burned out" condition of 25 per cent of the athletes.

He Curves 'Em

Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis, czar of baseball, has been visiting a lot of the minor league teams. Opening games is one of his favourite occupations. Here he's pitching the first ball in an Eastern Shore league contest. And they say the commissioner throws a mean curve.

MAGNOLIA NINE HERE TOMORROW

Clash With Elks on Lakeshore Field

Magnolia invades the realms of Lakeshore Diamond tomorrow afternoon, matched against the fast local Elks' team, for another baseball game.

The Elks, stronger than at any time this season through having played a series of fast games recently, are well prepared to defend the local flag against the Beaumont aggregation.

The game is called for 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and is expected to attract a large crowd. Skipper Cliff Gunn has not announced the probable battery for the clash, although he has several fast hurlers to draw from.

DROUTH IS BURNING UP CROPS AT TYLER

TYLER, Texas, Aug. 10.—Two months of drouth are having telling effect on this section and the high temperatures that have prevailed for the last two weeks have burned up all garden and truck patches and cut off all young corn in addition to the devastation it has brought to the cotton crop. Express shipments of late tomatoes and vegetables have practically ceased.

BAPTISM ADMINISTERED

HAZLEHURST, Miss., Aug. 11.—The Rev. A. F. O'Kelly, pastor of the Baptist church here, administered baptism to many who had joined the church on "Decision Day." The Hazlehurst Flying Squadrons, both seniors and intermediates, held inspirational services at the Baptist church and much religious fervor was shown. The church has a membership of more than 600.

ALL-MANHATTAN SERIES LOOMING

NEW YORK, Aug. 11. — With all competition suffering a bad rally, so to speak, it is now a virtual certainty that another of those abominations known as an all-Manhattan world series will be played this fall with an enlarged bank note fluttering from the flag pole in center field.

The Giants today are five and a half games in front as a result of running amuck through the Reds to five straight victories and the Yanks are leading by a mere 12 1-2 game margin.

Both should, and probably will, come home on the fit and qualify for their third world's series meeting in as many years.

We can think of nothing more depressing. The business, for one thing, is like a chronic diet of bacon and eggs. For another, it puts a prohibitive premium on the power of the dollar.

New York can have the world's series all to itself because it can afford to pay for the privilege.

The Giants and the Yanks are carrying a salary overhead that would send most of their competitors before a referee in bankruptcy.

However, so far as McGraw is concerned, credit must be given for having developed second string material to the highest degree.

He lost his captain and shortstop, Dave Bancroft, in midseason and immediately replaced with Travis Jackson, an extremely young man who more than made good.

Groh is also out with injuries, but Maguire, a collegian, has made the riffle.

As to the Yankees, they are just beginning to realize their potentiality.

COMMUNISTS FOUND BY HUNGARIAN POLICE

VIENNA, Aug. 10.—In the course of an inquiry into secret organizations in Budapest the police have discovered the existence of a communist organization aiming at the re-establishment of a soviet republic in Hungary, for which purpose, in the first place, moderate socialist leaders were to be removed from the trade unions and replaced by revolutionaries. An agitation to this end had been started and supported by Behnn Kun and other Hungarian communists living in Russia.

THREE LOADS MELONS SHIPPED FROM TYLER

TYLER, Texas, Aug. 11.—Three car loads of watermelons have been shipped out of Tyler this week but a short crop is slowing down the movement which is expected to end within two weeks unless a rain sets in without delay.

Prices remain unusually good, 25-pound melons bringing 80 cents per 100 pounds with very large melons selling as high as $1.40 per 100.

Hot winds and a blistering sun are making short work of the remaining melon crop.

WILSON TEACHERS ARE ELECTED FOR NEXT YEAR

WILSON, Texas, Aug. 11.—The school board of the Wilson High school has elected six teachers for next term as follows: R. E. Key, superintendent of public schools; Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Heath, Mrs. R. A. Medcafe, Miss Myrtle Hembree and Miss Clara May.

SOCIETY'S BIRTHDAY MARKED

COLUMBUS, Miss., Aug. 11.—A program of special interest was given by the members of the First Baptist W. M. U., of this city when the society gathered in the church to celebrate the sixteenth anniversary of the organization. The guests donated birthday offerings of silver, which were received by two little girls, Mary Frances Hogan and Margaret Scofield.

Each guest wore a flower indicating the month of her birth.

Three Swimmers Try To Span the Channel

DOVER, Eng., Aug. 11.—Three swimmers, Charles Toth and Sam Richards of Boston and Romeo of Argentine, set out at 12:35 today to swim the English channel.

Toth and Richards made unsuccessful attempts last year though both reached within four miles of their goal. They hoped today to duplicate the feat of their countryman, Henry Sullivan, who last week became the third man in history to swim the channel.

BEAUMONT BLACK OILERS PLAY BATON ROUGE HERE

The Beaumont Black Oilers will meet the Baton Rouge White Sox here tomorrow in a double-header at Cosmopolitan Park. There will be an excursion from Baton Rouge and a large crown of rooters are expected.

The Baton Rouge band will furnish music for the occasion.

The first game will start at 2:30 p. m. Special accommodations for all white patrons. There will be a big picnic after the game, the band furnishing the music.

AUTOISTS FLOCK TO ENCAMPMENT

Roads Choked With Autos to Baptist Meeting

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Aug. 11.—Roads leading to Christoval, including the newly paved Del Rio-Canadian state highway No. 4 from San Angelo, were reported lined with automobiles carrying parties to the Christoval Baptist encampment, the thirteenth annual session of which opened on the 7th. It closes on the 17th. Campers on the ground in advance of the opening service were estimated to exceed 500.

Dr. Wallace Bassett, pastor of Cliff Temple Baptist church, Dallas, reached San Angelo this morning and continued to Christoval. He is encampment preacher and delivered the keynote address, after a song service led by Lee Stulce of Abilene, calling of the meeting to order by Rev. E. F. Lyon, president, and announcements by the B. Y. P. U., and Sunday school faculties. Classes will be organized tomorrow.

SEEK WIELDER OF AX FOR BRUTAL MURDER

SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 11.—Sheriff Huges here today offered a reward of $200 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons who made an attack with an axe on Sam Broadus and his wife, gade negroes, at Agurs near here. Killing the woman outright and so seriously wounding Broadus, who was employed as a night watchman for a can company in Agurs, that he is considered beyond recovery.

The assailants are believed by officers to have been after money. At the gate of the premises was found a leather purse containing one penny, while in the house, concealed in a small tin box, was a wallet with $250

WOMAN KILLS HERSELF

HAYNESVILLE, La., Aug. 11.—Mrs. Jack Runnels, 27 years old, wife of a pipe line guard here, took her own life by shooting herself with an automatic pistol Saturday night.

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They predicted then that the crop would not be cut short, but did not expect it to be as small as it was. The price has been steady and has remained from 2 to 3 cents per pound.

In some few places the yield was almost normal, while in others it was less than half a crop.

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STREET PAVING COMPLETED

CLEVELAND, Miss., Aug. 11.—Cleveland has just completed five miles of Kentucky natural rock asphalt paving. The mayor and aldermen decided to use this paving after they had visited Covington, Tenn., where the paving had proved very successful. Brookhaven and Kosciusko have sent delegates to see the new streets and contemplate using the same material.

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WANTED—White woman for general housework. Apply 920 Beaumont Ave.

Situation Wanted

YOUNG man who can take dictation desires stenographic work in the evenings beginning about 6:30 or 7:30 o'clock. I will do any kind of typing. Write Box 1090.

Rooms For Rent

ROOMS suitable for gentlemen; modern. 840 6th.

ROOMS for gentlemen. 548 Stilwell.

TWO nicely furnished bedrooms; upstairs. 728 7th Phone 1022.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom for gentlemen. 615 Stilwell Blvd.

FURNISHED ROOMS — Men only. Lake front. 1849 5th St. Phone 2569.

FURNISHED ROOM for gentleman. 723 Fourth.

FOUR unfurnished rooms. 629 Atlanta Ave.

FOR RENT—Nice cool front room. 223 3rd.

THREE new furnished rooms and garage. 1748 16th. Phone 286.

NICELY furnished bedroom. 325 9th.

TWO rooms, all modern conveniences. 2500 9th.

FOR RENT—Nice cool bedroom to couple or two gentlemen—board if desired. Also garage. 2817 9th.

FURNISHED bedroom and garage, $4 per week. 2118 12th.

NICE room for one or two gentlemen. 1601 10th. Phone 2973.

BEDROOM—Men only; no shift men. Phone 2180.

TWO gentlemen, cool front bedroom, adjoining bath. 1409 9th.

FOR RENT—Cool bedroom. 714 Sixth street.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms; no children. 1037 Fifth street.

ROOMS FOR GENTLEMEN. 639 7th.

FOR RENT—Three big nice, modern rooms. 2028 14th St., $25.

COOL BEDROOM for two gentlemen in private family; breakfast if desired. 530 Lake Charles.

BEDROOMS one or two gentlemen. Apply 1534 Seventh or 740 Sixth.

THREE furnished rooms for rent. 436 Sixth.

THREE unfurnished rooms, modern convenience. 1349 Stilwell.

BEDROOM. 225 Dallas. Phone 1269.

TWO or three furnished rooms. 618 East 15th street.

THREE unfurnished rooms with adjoining bath. Phone 2112.

TWO cool bedrooms for gentlemen or couple; one faces lake. 411 Lakeshore. Phone 1478.

NICELY furnished cool bedroom adjoining bath to couple or two gentleman. 730 Lake Charles Ave.

FURNISHED rooms, hot and cold water, also two garages. 719 Ninth. Phone 2993.

BEDROOM for one or two gentlemen, also two-room apartment furnished, not more than one child. Apply 305 Augusta.

UNFURNISHED room. 221 Ninth St

BEDROOMS. 143 West 14th St.

LARGE front room facing lake; two single beds. 1341 Lakeshore.

LARGE double front bedroom; special rate for 3 or 4 gentlemen. 1830 Procter.

DESIRABLE bedroom adjoining bath for one gentleman. 627 Lakeshore

ONE room for rent. 910 13th St. Phone 253.

BEDROOM for gentlemen adjoining bath. 215 12th.

COOL bedroom, one or two gentlemen, in private family. 200 12th.

MOVING—CRATING
LARGEST TRUCKS, $5.00
TRUNKS, 50c.
LONE STAR TRANSFER CO.
812 PROCTER. PHONES 294-217

Housekeeping Rooms

TWO unfurnished rooms adjoining bath. Phone 2183 or 900 Stilwell.

THREE rooms unfurnished. 1032 7th.

TWO unfurnished rooms to couple. 2305 8th. Phone 1322.

TWO rooms for light housekeeping. 542 6th.

TWO cool modern light housekeeping rooms. 1025 7th.

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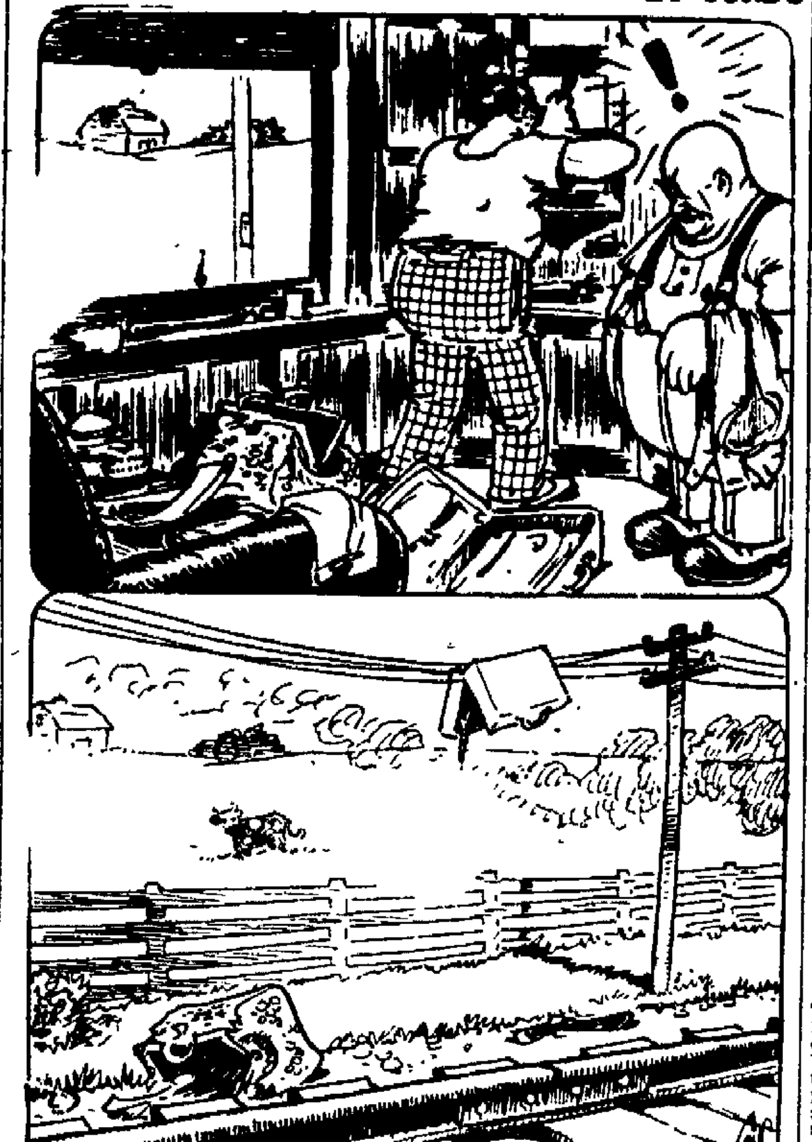

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LIGHT housekeeping roms or board and rooms. 347½ Sixth.

TWO light housekeeping rooms. 949 Seventh.

THREE rooms for rent, couple only. 727 Sixth street.

THREE unfurnished rooms, back and front entrance. 1248 East 16th.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 825 East 18th.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms for rent 708 8th.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms and garage. 830 DeQueen.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; modern; couple; hot water. 209 8th. Phone 1098.

FURNISHED two light housekeeping rooms. 714 6th St.

THREE unfurnished rooms. 2701 11th.

TWO nice cool partly furnished light housekeeping rooms; all modern conveniences; also garage. Phone 2459.

TWO light housekeeping rooms for rent. 704 7th St.

Apartments For Rent

TWO apartments newly built — five rooms with all convenience, $42.50. Water and sewer included. 215 7th.

MODERN 2-room apartment, completely furnished. 2801 9th.

TO COUPLE in private home, 3-room apartment nicely furnished with garage. Phone 2596. 1421 14th.

TWO three-room apartments, unfurnished. Apply 305 Augusta.

FIVE rooms for rent. Downstairs. 1824 11th.

FOR RENT
AFTER July 20th. New modern five-room apartment, with garage, 1000 block 6th street.
N. M. BARRIER
Phone 35

FOR RENT—Modern 2, 3, 4 and 5-room apartments. The Palms garage accomodations. Dallas Avenue and Tenth. E. A. LAUGHLIN, Owner.

Houses For Rent

SIX-ROOM duplex. 2027 Shreveport Ave. Apply room 1 Woolworth Bldg. Phone 1923. H. E. Prater.

FOR RENT—Four-room house. Modern. Phone 1563.

FOR RENT—One 6-room duplex house on 14th. Apply 1243 5th St.

JUST completed nice new 5-room house with garage. 1800 8th. Apply between 2.00 and 7:00 p. m.

FOUR-ROOM house and garage. Apply 1801 7th.

FOR RENT—825 Fifth, in rear, modern 6 rooms. Apply 427 Austin Ave. Phone 406.

FIVE-ROOM modern house furnished for rent. 1032 10th.

SEVEN-ROOM, two-story house for rent, modern, at 2601 Procter. Phone 2116 and 384.

FURNISHED or unfurnished cottage. 2410 6th. Phone 268 or call 2412 6th.

FOR RENT—5-room modern house. 1401 DeQueen. Apply 1401 DeQueen.

FOR RENT — Modern 5-room house, furniture for sale reasonable, easy terms; one two-room furnished apartment reasonable to couple. Apply 2012 8th after 6 p. m.

FURNISHED bungalow for rent. 2420 Procter St. Reference required.

Garages For Rent

GARAGE FOR RENT. 618 10th.

STORAGE space for rent. American Garage, 901 Houston. Phone 1019 or 2950.

Room and Board

ROOM AND BOARD. 235 Dallas.

BOARD AND ROOM — Large nicely furnished cool bedrooms for adults. Dining room conected, serving best meals in city. Try one of our special Sunday diners; garage accommodations. The Model Apartments. 2141 Procter street. Phone 2558-9815.

RENT TO COUPLE or two men, room facing lake with board. 825 Lake Shore.

ROOM AND BOARD for two young men in private home, close in. Phone [illegible]

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ROOM AND BOARD. 1230 Procter. Phone 1102.

NICE cool rooms; good board; $10.50 per week. 535 7th St.

ROOM AND BOARD for one man in private family. Call 326 El Paso Ave.

ROOM AND BOARD—1048 Procter—under new management.

ROOM AND BOARD in private family. 2101 Fifth St. Phone 1170.

NICE cool room with or without board. 1848 11th.

NICE room with board in private home. Apply 1637 5th. Mrs. Nichols.

ROOM AND BOARD. 243 Dallas.

Wanted To Rent

TWO light housekeeping rooms furnished, by Aug. 20th; give price and address. Private family preferred. Box 338.

WANTED—To rent about a 5-room house within 6 blocks of any public school. Phone 1227.

WANTED—To rent three to five furnished rooms at once. P. O. Box 214.

Wanted To Buy

WILL pay cash for your Ford. 1028 Nederland Ave.

I HAVE $100.00 cash for Ford touring. Must be bargain. Call after 7 a. m. 345 E. 18th.

WANTED—To buy Ford or other small touring car in good condition. Phone 1371.

TEXAS FURNITURE CO.
Will pay cash for your furniture.
718 Houston Ave. Phone 1323

TAYLOR
WILL buy anything. Your furniture, tools, sewing machine, gun, stove or heater. Phone 581. 237 Procter.

WILL pay cash for your Ford. J. H. Rizer. 812 Procter.

WANTED—10,000 coat hangers. Culp Tailoring Company. Phone 1910.

IF YOU WANT 'EM SOLD, LIST 'EM WITH D. KINARD, THE REAL ESTATE MAN, AND YOU WILL SOON HAVE THE MONEY. HE HAS LOTS OF BUYERS AT ALL TIMES. HIS OFFICE IS 401 PROCTER STREET, PHONE 310.

WANTED—Plain and fancy sewing; work guaranteed. Apply 801 6th.

For Sale or Exchange

LOT—1300 block Nederland ave. Good location for business. Apply 2648 13th.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 1921 Overland roadster, new paint, tires, top, motor overhauled, small payment, motorcycle or diamond. Phone 1794 or call 2634 6th., 8 a. m. to 2 p. m.

WANTED—To trade Dodge car in on a place or for good notes. Phone 2458.

WANTED—To trade Ford for milk cow. 1028 Nederland.

For Sale Miscellaneous

BREAKFAST set $16; refrigerator $16; oil stove with oven $5; Reed sulky. Apply 2222 6th.

A SECOND-HANDED baby buggy. 723 7th. Phone 1689.

THREE lots on W. 17th. Phone 2889.

EIGHT rooms of furniture for colored roming house. West 17th. Easy terms. Apply Mr. Pye, Phone 1715, Rear 200 Procter.

AT A SACRIFICE—Nicely furnished 6-room home with double garage, half of house at present renting for $40 month. A small amount of cash will handle all. Phone 2596.

FURNITURE for six rooms; privilege of renting house. Phone 2359.

FOR SALE—Six chairs, buffet, dining table, refrigerator, coal heater, victrola. 901 Stilwell.

FOR SALE—Furniture for four-room house can be rented if you buy furniture. Apply A. Toups, 332 Austin Ave.

ONE dandy duofold, 1 ice box, 1 washstand, bed, mattress, springs, $55.00 taken all. 345 E. 18 St.

FURNITURE
UPHOLSTERING, REFINISHING,
FURNITURE CRATED.
J. RUSLING
2434 NINTH. PHONE 696.

FOR SALE—Trunks and suitcases at special prices at JACOBS & LIPOFF, 443 Austin Ave.

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FOR SALE—Dining room and library suite. Phone 1751. 720 Stilwell.

GET us to mount your diamonds into the new, latest styles of mountings. E. B. SUTHERLIN, 414 Procter st.

For Sale—Autos

RED Paige sport model; best looking car in town; a bargain from owner. Phone 475.

ONE 1-ton truck and one Ford light delivery truck; both priced right. Apply 517 Houston Ave.

THREE second-hand cars; before you buy call and see them; all in good running shape. 305 Augusta.

Poultry and Pet Stock

WANTED—To exchange one white Orphington rooster for another. 2838 12th St.

CHICKENS FOR SALE — Hens 25c pound, fryers 35c pound. Phone us your order. We dress and deliver free. 1926 5th St., Phone 2184.

FOR SALE—Beautiful white poodle and Maltese pups, also guinea pigs and canary birds. 906 Procter. Phone 2111.

Legal Notices

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Jefferson County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Jefferson county, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the welfare of Everett Pickett, Non-Compos-Mentis. J. W. Cipole was by the county court of Jefferson county, Texas, on the 21st day of July, A. D., 1923, duly appointed temporary guardian of the person and estate of said Everett Pickett, a Non-Compos-Mentis, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in October, A. D., 1923, the same being the first day of October, A. D. 1923, at the court house thereof, in Beaumont, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minor may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Beaumont, Texas, this the 4th day of August, A. D., 1923.

W. A. COWARD, Clerk.
County Court Jefferson County, Tex.
By EARL SINGLETON, Deputy.
A true copy I certify.
T. H. GARNER,
Sheriff, Jefferson County, Texas.
By C. E. KENNEDY, Deputy.

Financial

The Standard Credit Co.
OLDEST in Texas, loaning $5 to $75 without security to working men and women. Rates lowest—service best.
208-209 TYRELL BLDG.

BILL GREEN invested $100, cleaned up $20,000.00 and still has income of $400.00 per month. Chas. Barrett invested $10.00 and made $1200.00. You have the same chance. Small sum starts you. You handle own investment. Absolutely safe. Would like to explain everything. Room 11 Central Hotel, 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. or 5 p. m. to 8 p. m. Ask for Mr. Stevens or Roberts.

Business Opportunities

FOR SALE—Fixtures for soft drink stand, cheap rent, no close competitor. Apply 1330 Houston Ave.

STORE FOR RENT—1009 8th.

AN old established lunch room on Procter street; daily sales $40 to $70 a day. Reason for selling, bad health. If interested and will put up a cash deposit, owner will let you handle the daily sales for a week that you may know that it is a good business.
KEITH REALTY CO.
Phone 1204
307 Deutser Bldg.

SMALL BUT GOOD BUSINESS
A COLD DRINK stand complete on a corner close in for only $650. This little business is a money getter.
D. KINARD
Phone 310. Office 401 Procter St.

Port Arthur Real Estate

SIX rooms, bath, pantry and breakfast room: double fireplace; double garage; corner lot. Must be seen to be appreciated. Phone 755-2053.

TWO-STORY 8-room house, servant house and garage, block 21 14th, and Galveston Ave. Easy terms. Apply 2101 14th.

NEW five-room home in New Model addition in 3400 block Eleventh St. Good terms.
B. A. Gipson and Harry Whelply.
Building and Real Estate
450 Austin Ave. Phone 115

LOT in Old Model Addition, $2200. Box 8, care News.

SIX 50-foot lots—Inside lots $200, corners $250—one block of shelled street. Apply room 1 Woolworth Bldg. Phone 1933. H. E. Prater.

FIVE-ROOM home 2200 block 12th street, $3000, $1150 cash. Will rent for $40 and will pay one year in advance.

TWO 5-room homes close in on 9th street, corner, only $5500, $2175 cash, balance less than rent.

NICE new 5-room home 1800 block 15th street, only $3200, $400 cash, balance $35 month.

NICE lot on 5th street, 2100 block, only $1575, $500 cash.

FIVE-ROOM modern, close in on 9th street, 800 block; yes it's a corner.

FIVE lots at Kolb's Crossing, all go for $750 cash.

LISTEN—Six rooms and nine rooms and garage in rear, 2200 block 5th street for only 5000, $1500 cash, balance only $50 month.

FIVE-ROOM modern, Lake Shore, $5500, $1000 cash, balance 6 years.
WOOTEN & DAVIS
419 Procter. Phone 842
Night Phone 2977.

LIST your real estate with us. We'll do the rest.
LAIRD & FRERE
Room 1 Over First Nat'l Bank
PHONE 311

LOT—New Model Addition for sale by owner, cheap. Phone 540.

NICE modern home 1100 block 18th street lake front, garage, shade, side walks, beautiful lawn, all for $3400.
See Laird & Frere
Over First National
Phone 311
Real Estate, Rentals and All Insurance

Port Arthur Real Estate

THE DREDGE HAS BEGUN WORK BUILDING THE NEW LEVEE FROM 19TH STREET TO THE BEAUMONT ROAD. THIS MEANS THAT WITHIN A SHORT TIME THE OLD LEVEE ON VANDERVOORT BLVD. WILL BE REMOVED. WHEN THIS IS DONE THIS WILL BE ONE OF THE PRETTIEST AND MOST DESIRABLE STREETS IN TOWN.

WE ARE PLACING ON THE MARKET SOME VERY DESIRABLE LOTS LYING BETWEEN VANDERVOORT AND THE INTERURBAN TRACKS. THESE CAN BE BOUGHT FOR 10% DOWN AND 2% PER MONTH. THEY WILL HAVE ALL THE IMPROVEMENTS THAT ARE NOW IN THE CITY. BETTER GET ONE NOW WHILE YOU CAN GET YOUR CHOICE.

E. L. VAUGHAN & CO.
EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.
PHONES 98—1642
430 AUSTIN AVE.

(AVANT)
Phone 1303. Room 7, Brinkman Bldg.
CAN you buy a house and lot anywhere for $650?
YES! We have a dandy four-room house and fine lot near the Texas Co. for that price. Let us show you that we can deliver the place at these figures. This home is worth four times as much as we are asking for it and when you are through with it we will sell it again for you and make you some money and give you back all you have been out.
THINK of the chickens and garden and cow!
ANY refinery worker can save all his wages if he buys this place, for he can easily make his living on a place like this.

WHO wants a nice little home in high class neighborhood on 14th street. Beautiful lot and little barn and chicken yard. Neat little dwelling. All goes for $1260, one-half cash.

CAN you equal this anywhere in the city? A beautiful, modern, new home on corner lot. Full bath room equipment with brick fireplace; five lovely rooms and every little thing that goes to make the interior cozy and attractive. Fine location on 12th. All goes for $3450 and only $250 cash. Balance easy.

HOW would you like to own two full acres of good garden soil? We have it (all fenced) with a little 3-room shack on it. A high-class American couple live in this shack. It's their home. Nice people own homes all around you. With two cows and 100 chickens you can cuss the boss when he tries to run the job—if you buy this place—$1400, one-half cash.

HERE is a 4-room modern home in 1900 block on 10th street, good fences, chicken yard, garage — for $3000. The lot is worth $2500. The first $900 cash buys it.

14 LOTS and 6-room house, big barn, on shell road, four blocks to station; good school and fine water. Take it all for $3000, $1100 cash, balance $25 month and interest.

MASTERPIECES FOR A HOME
THESE LOTS ARE 130 FEET BY 310 FEET ON FINE SHELLED STREET TWO BLOCKS OF CAR LINE. THERE'S GOING TO BE SOME REAL GOOD HOMES ON THESE LOTS. DO YOU WANT ONE? CALL 310 AND SAY YOU WANT ONE. CALL 310 AND SAY YOU WANT TO LOOK THEM OVER AND IT WONT COST YOU A CENT TO SEE THE LARGEST LOTS, HIGHEST GROUND, AND MOST BEAUTIFUL ADDITION AROUND THE CITY. THE TERMS WILL BE MADE SO THAT YOU CAN PAY FOR IT. THIS PROPERTY IS SELLING FAST AND WE HAVE A FEW LEFT.
D. KINARD
OFFICE 401 PROCTER ST.

FOR SALE
FIVE-ROOM modern house on 17th street close to Texas Company. This is a new house all ready to move into—$3400, with $750 cash and $35 monthly.
THREE lots and three-room house with garage and chicken house. House wired for lights—$1450 cash, balance $30 and interest.
CORNER lot on San Antonio and Ninth with two five-room houses. Place rents now for $83 per month. Can sell this place for $5650, half cash, balance easy payments; best investment in the city.
FIVE-ROOM house 13th St., close to Houston Ave., $2700, $450 cash, balance like rent.
DEWITT & SANDERS
531 Austin. Phone 1786

FIVE rooms and bath; modern. 101 14th. To [illegible]

Port Arthur Real Estate

FOR SALE
TWO nice lots on [illegible] Addition [illegible] balance [illegible]
NEAT [illegible] Residential Park [illegible]
HERE is a bargain [illegible] lake, 2000 block 11th [illegible] cash.
HAVE five other lots on 11th [illegible] for $500 cash, balance [illegible]
GEO. W. GUTE
Room 1, Stark Bldg. Phone [illegible]
MRS. E. PROBL, saleslady, phone [illegible]
G. D. HAYES, salesman, phone [illegible]

SIX-ROOM modern, fine for two families, new, corner, $[illegible], cash $[illegible].
FOUR-ROOM modern, fine location, 1740 11th, $[illegible], $[illegible] cash $[illegible] per month.
FOUR-ROOM, 12th street, $[illegible], $[illegible] cash, $[illegible] per month.
FOUR-ROOM almost new, [illegible] for $30 per month, $[illegible], $[illegible] cash.
LOT 14 block 36 Griffing's Residential Park, $1050, cash $[illegible].
FIVE-ROOM corner 12th street, fine location, $[illegible], $1000 cash, $[illegible] per month.
ONE acre and a good 6-room house, garage and barn on shell street at Colb's Crossing, $2500, $500 cash, $[illegible] per month
R. S. TATUM
506 Fifth. Phone 1806

FOUR-ROOM home 19th street near the Texas refinery for only $2100 on easy payments. Don't pay rent; the notes on this house is only $30 per month.
D. KINARD
Phone 310 Office 401 Procter St.

APARTMENT HOUSE ON STILWELL BOULEVARD
FOR $10,000. This building had 12 rooms and a house in the back that has 6 rooms. This is a real good baragain and a safe investment.
D. KINARD
Phone 310 Office 401 Procter St.

Buys Lots In
Magnolia Addition
To Port Neches
DO IT NOW
$10 DOWN—$10 PER MONTH
Salesmen on the ground evenings.

PORT ARTHUR OFFERINGS
See Us About Lots In Model Addition On Procter street. 10% down and 2% monthly.

A WELL-ESTABLISHED grocery store for sale.

A GOOD list of homes, business property and lots in all parts of the city. See us before you buy.

FIVE-ROOM modern homes for as low as $500 cash payments.

IF IT'S SERVICE you want, just mention it to
KEITH REALTY CO.
Phone 1204. 307 Deutser Bldg.

BRAND NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOW
2800 block 14th street; modern in full; will suite a careful buyer and is near the DeQueen school; faces the lake and the first payment is only $500, and the balance to suit the purchaser. Remember it's brand new and as neat as your heart can wish for.
D. KINARD
Phone 310. Office 401 Procter St.

I HAVE several real good homes in all parts of the city and they are all on easy payments.
D. KINARD
Phone 310. Office 401 Procter St.

LOOK—Modern 5-room home, garage, well-filled lot, sidewalks and cement drive. Apply 1928 7th.

ASK to see the best bargain left in Port Arthur—2 lots, corner and inside, lake front, 9th street. Seven-room modern home, servant house, garage, barn, chicken house, chicken yard, high board fence, figs, grapes, plums, flowers, lovely lawn, everything complete., $7500, terms.
LAIRD & FRERE
Over First National Bank
Phone 311.
Real Estate, Rentals and All Insurance

MODERN HOME FIFTH STREET MODEL ADDITION
FOR only $5750 on easy payments. D. Kinard. Phone 310. Office 401 Procter street.

A BUSINESS HOUSE AND LOT ON PROCTER
THIS is a real good buy and a steady income and the price is only $12,000; $5000 cash and the balance $100 per month; rents will more than pay notes.
D. KINARD
Phone 310. Office 401 Procter St.

I HAVE several lots in Model Addition on easy payments.
D. KINARD
Phone 310. Office 401 Procter St.

FOR SALE—Choice five-acre tracts in Portacres. See R. T. Braun, P. O. Box 455, or call 1174 after 5:00 p. m.

NEW house, ready to move in; you can name your first payment and we will handle the rest. On 18th street, price $2950.
NICE new one in 2200 block of Fifteenth street.
LET us show you the one in 2300 block 7th street, lots of nice grapevines, figs and shrubbery.
STILL have one or two in 2200 block 9th street.
VACANT lot, east of Texas Company, price $300, cash $15.
Phone 1779, MACKEY BROS.
Over Merchants National Bank.

OWNER will sell nice corner lot 1900 block 14th, facing lake, $250 cash, balance 5 years. Box 193 or Phone 1936.

NICE new place on 15th street, five rooms, bath and garage, $500 cash, balance terms.
ONE of the nicest homes on Nederland Ave., $4500, terms.
A GOOD 5-room home with bath and garage on 15th street $3000, $500 cash, balance $35 month.
NICE 6-room home with bath and garage on DeQueen Blvd., $4800, terms.
B. A. GIPSON & HARRY WHELPLY
Building and Real Estate
450 Austin. Phone 145

BY OWNER—Three new modern 5-room homes, corner lots, good locations, garage. Prices and terms right. Phone 1917

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THE GUMPS—JUST A LOVE NEST

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

"Oh, isn't the moon lovely!" cried Tiny Mite.

When Tiny Mite flew away on a lightning bug one night he had no idea where he was going.

All he knew was that the moon looked like a big silver plate, the little stars like sugar and the world like a great big plum pudding, dark, and smelling forty ways at once like forty kinds of perfume.

"Gid ap!" cried Tiny Mite, clicking his tongue and digging his heels into his willing steed, "Gid ap and take me to the end of the earth. I'm tired of just seeing Pee Wee Land under the burdocks and no place else. Just plumb tired of it. Gid ap."

The lightning bug didn't say anything but he went on and on and kept his lantern burning as brightly as he could. He wasted electricity something awful—he did!

But he went right on like a good lightning bug—on and on and on.

"My this is fine!" cried Tiny Mite. Suddenly he had an idea. "Could you fly to the moon with me on you? I want to see what it's like up there. I want to say how do you do to the Moon Man."

Tiny Mite yawned. He was getting sleepy.

The lightning bug picked up his ears. He heard that yawn and he winked at himself.

"Why, yes, I can take you to the moon," he answered. "Just close your eyes and we'll soon be there. You might get dizzy if you kept them open."

"All right," said Tiny Mite, screwing them up tight. "They're shut."

Then the lightning bug flew straight to a moon-vine and lit on one of the big white round flowers. The real moon had gone under a cloud and no one could see it.

"Is this it?" asked Tiny Mite opening his eyes. "Are we there?"

"Yes," answered the bug.

"Oh, isn't the moon lovely!" cried Tiny Mite. "And doesn't it smell grand!" And he sniffed and sniffed. Then he yawned again.

"I believe I'm sleepy," he murmured. "I believe I'll sleep on the moon. Good night, lightning bug."

What happened then I'll tell you tomorrow, my dears. And how the Twins rescued him!

(To Be Continued.)

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SALESMAN SAM

A Tipsy Tip

BY SWAN

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS Willie Might Have Had It

BY BLOSSER

OUT OUR WAY

BY WILLIAMS

THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERN

WOLTERS FLAYS REDS, PACIFIST

General States Citizen-Soldier Nation Strength

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 11.—"I don't care whether it is a parlor lounger or a roughneck, a college professor or a coal heaver, a shorthaired woman or a long-haired man, if anyone attempts to substitute the red flag for the red, white and blue, he is a traitor to this country," were the words in which Brigadier General Jacob F. Wolters of Houston branded those who spread pacifist propaganda and oppose military preparations in his address before 1,400 citizens' military training camp students here. "There are too many people unaware of the need for preparation, who are under the influence of the quiet propaganda spread by the I. W. W. communists and socialists," he declared. He stressed his belief that the citizen soldier is the backbone of the nation and that his unpreparedness has been responsible for losses of this nation in past battles.

"In more than twenty-five years of association with regular army officers," General Wolters told the student soldiers, "I have found them as a class, straight shooters, straight talkers and straight thinkers. Their instruction is better for you than what you get in schoolrooms and colleges."

In paying further tribute to the regular army General Wolters said that it made up in efficiency for its small size at the present time. As an example of regular army co-operation, he cited the recent gift to the Texas National Guard of more than 200 horses from regular units.

ANCIENT EGYPTIANS PAID FOR BRIDES

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Professor W. Flinders Petrie, the eminent Egyptologist who was recently knighted by King George, gives some interesting information regarding the private life of the ancient Egyptians. The earliest marriage contract known in Egypt, he says, dates from 590 B. C. The terms of the pact, as drawn up by the husbands were as follows:

"Since God willeth that we should unite one with the other in righteous wedlock, after the manner of every free man and every wise woman, therefore, I have given thee $4 in gold as a bridal gift, that thou mayest come and enter my house as a free woman. And for my part I will not neglect thee more than as it were my own body. Neither shall I be able to put thee forth without a cause, having legal ground. But should I wish to put thee forth, I will pay $17 for the matter."

SLIDELL, LA., GETS NEW BOX FACTORY

SLIDELL, La., Aug. 11.—The erection of the new veneer mill and box factory by the S. T. Alcus and Company is making headway at the site of the company's mill at Pearl river, seven miles north of Slidell, under the supervision of C. M. King of New Orleans, who has the contract. It is understood the company will spend approximately $175,000 in the erection of the additions and will employ 300 men.

COTTON IN GOOD SHAPE

HAZLEHURST, Miss., Aug. 11.—Cotton crops of Copiah county are reported as doing well. Excessive rains of the positive days have hindered fruiting it is said. The weevils, while numerous in places, have not played so much havoc as might have been expected. It is believed this county will double its output of last year's 8000 bales.

WATERLOO GIVES WAY TO NEWER SHRINES

BRUSSELS, Aug. 11.—Waterloo, until 1914, was the most frequented spot in Belgium. Victor Hugo's "dreary plain," dotted with monuments commemorating the armies taking part in the battle, topped by the colossal lion on the historic hill of Mont Saint-Jean, attracted countless foreign visitors and on Sundays citizens of Brussels journeyed there in caravans.

Ancient mail coaches clattered up and down the streets of the Belgian capital, and their conductors, to the discordant tunes of obsolete brass instruments, invited tourists to Waterloo, eleven miles distant.

Guides fought and cursed at the Waterloo station for remuneratin privilege of scorting over the battlefield the numerous visitors which every train disgorged into the town.

Cafes, restaurants, hotels were doing a huge business. Today gaunt and sad guides await visitors in vain. Waterloo is desolate. Deserted inns are closing up. A great souvenir is being wiped out; an industry going bankrupt.

Devastated Flanders fields are monopolizing the curiosity seekers. Nieuport, Dixmude, Ypres and the Yser, the most thickly populated war cemeteries of Belgium, also provide a greatest attraction for the living.

The great war has killed Waterloo and by half-destroying Flanders has resuscitated it.

LABOR LEADERS FEAR COOLIDGE OPPOSITION

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Organized labor received the news of President Harding's death with mixed emotions—regret at his passing and fear that in Calvin Coolidge labor would have to deal with one frankly, if not aggressively, unfriendly.

For Mr. Harding, labor leaders recalled that in the railroad strike of a year ago, had not hesitated to tell the executives that they should yield on the matter of seniority for the strikers. The new president they recall climbed into national prominence through the Boston police strike, in which, while not defending the strike, they insisted he had dealt unfairly with the strikers and organized labor generally.

"It is," the head of one national organization said, "a case of falling from the frying pan into the fire. Harding was not as good to labor as Wilson, but Coolidge—"

SENATOR UNDERWOOD MAY MAKE ADDRESS

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 11.—United States Senator Oscar Underwood of Alabama, one of the outstanding possibilities as democratic nominee for president, may address the American legion state convention in Galveston on August 29 on some non-political subject, it was learned here.

Friends of the Alabama senator are making efforts to have him come to Texas in August and to make a series of speeches. If he should visit Texas he will likely be asked by Legion officials to attend the convention and address the war veterans.

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